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## CARTER AND LYTLE MANNING TEST BLOWS IN HUGE GASSER

## LIMESTONE FARMER HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

## ZEPPELIN REACHES U. S. AFTER EPOCHAL ATLANTIC FLIGHT

### MUCH INTEREST AROUSED IN DISCOVERY N. E.

Much excitement was created this morning when the Carter and Lytle test on the Manning farm, six miles Northeast of here and one mile south of Wortham, resulted in a giant gasser, making at first what oil men and observers declared to be at least 15,000,000 cubic feet.

In a short while after the roar which was heard for miles was known of in Mexia, hundreds from here rushed to the scene and saw the gas rushing up through the derrick, with the occasional gush of mud and water as the hole blew out.

It was stated that the gasser came in unexpectedly. The drillers were coming out of the hole with fourables when the gas blew in, tearing out the North side of the derrick and doing other damage, the pipe falling back in the hole. It is said to have been at a depth of 1661 feet when the gas blew in. One of the drillers who was on the fourable board miraculously escaped injury, getting away just as the upheaval took place.

Passersby noted the fluid going up through the crown block and at first it was reported to be a gusher in Mexia. Trainsmen coming in on freights over the H. & T. C. near which the test is being made also reported the incident, resulting in the news reaching Mexia shortly after it blew in early this morning.

It is feared that the hole will be lost, however, every effort possible will be made to save it. The rotary will be moved as soon as the hole bridges or as soon as it is safe for workmen to resume operations. A difficult fishing job is ahead, even though the gas emission stops soon.

This is Carter and Lytle's third test in the Wortham territory. Just what the results of the discovery today will be is only a matter of speculation now. Some feel that a pool is certain to be developed there, while others are not so optimistic. However, the general opinion heard frequently expressed soon after the event was that a pool is certain to be located near Mexia, Northeast of town, in a short while.

This location is about a mile North of the Carter and Lytle's second test on the Hackney and is about two miles from the Boyd test on the Boyd lease, Northeast of here four miles.

The Boyd reached gumbo at 2030, which it passed out of at 2050. By noon, it had penetrated to a depth of 2085 and was drilling in hard shale, somewhat sticky and with some boulders. This is said to tally with logs of wells in the producing area at Mexia and is considered encouraging.

Upon being informed of the gasser near Wortham Colonel Humphreys rushed from Dallas to the operation and was on the ground early this afternoon. He says that prospects are very encouraging and he expects to witness a revival of oil boom scenes in Mexia in a short while. He is much interested in the gasser.

### My Daddy Carries Off Purse at Fair

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 15.—My Daddy with C. McCorkle, carried off the Cotton Stakes purse of \$2,000 and set a new record for the mile at the Stae Fair track here yesterday, running the stretch in 1:48 1-5 seconds.

My Daddy scrambled over the course, ahead of eight other entries winning by a nose over Claymore, favorite of the heat, and two lengths over Deceitful Pearl.

A record crowd viewed the races. Attendance at the Fair yesterday was checked as 152,916.

### THE WEATHER.

Texas—Generally fair and unchanged temperature.

### CENTRAL PRESBYTERIANS TO HOLD SERVICE OF PRAISE FOR SUCCESS OF SYNOD AT THE CHURCH TONIGHT

A praise service to God, and expressing gratitude to the people of Mexia, for the success of the Synod is called for tonight at the Central Presbyterian church. All members urged to attend.

The Central Presbyterians feel deeply indebted to the town and to God for the splendid manner in which everybody cooperated in planning and providing for the entertainment of Synod. The Churches, their pastors, organizations and membership all did their part in a wonderful manner. The Chamber of Commerce showed itself very capable in arranging the community features for the Synod. Mr. Jere Cason gave liberally of his time and thought and was largely responsible for the splendid advertising which Mexia received as a city distinguished for its hospitality.

The merchants and business men supported the Synod most liberally in effort and finances. The finance committee announces that the budget as calculated and collected will be sufficient to meet outstanding bills. The Rotary and Lions Clubs did a splendid thing in giving dinners, with the assistance of the women of the Christian and Methodist Churches, to the visitors. The Mexia Daily News rendered valuable assistance with its unusual amount of interest, ing and accurate publicity. Free copies of each issue were given by them to the delegates and where they desired free copies were mailed elsewhere for them. The leaders of the Synod stated that they had always had good publicity but never so good as that accorded by the Mexia Daily News. Mr. Adair, who went to considerable trouble to get the news, told the members of Synod in a brief little talk Saturday night that the Mexia Daily News had the largest circulation of any newspaper in the United States for any town of ten thousand people and that he attributed this fact largely to their policy of giving first consideration to all moral and religious enterprises of the town.

The restaurant, hotel, and boarding house people did much for the guests. They were all most cordial and considerate. The homes of the city were most hospitable. The Synod stated that never before had they been given such entertainment.

The pastor, Rev. Aubrey, states that he desired to thank every committee and organization, and individual who helped to make the Synod such a success. He says that he believes it most remarkable to have experienced such perfect cooperation of all the community in accomplishing this task. Such cooperation as this continued for years in the activities of a town most certainly builds a wonderful city.

### CLEMSON CADETS STRIKE WHEN STUDENT IS OUSTED

(By United Press)  
ANDERSON, S. C., Oct. 15.—Twelve hundred cadets of Clemson College were on strike today in protest against the suspension of "Dutch" Hollahan, football captain. The entire student body of the South Carolina Agricultural College walked out, refusing to return until Hollahan is reinstated.

The striking cadets also demand "better food" in the college dining room.

Hollahan was suspended after he presented the faculty with a petition by members of the Senior class complaining against the food served in the mess hall. The faculty claimed he was intoxicated when he appeared before them with the signatures.

The students charged that the food they received was often "unfit to eat." Tainted "hot dogs" had been fed them, they alleged. They also demanded "more food."

President Earl ignored the student petition, it was said, and caused the arrest of the football captain for alleged drunkenness. After a meeting the students walked out en masse last night, most of them boarding trains for their homes.

### NO DECISION HANDED DOWN IN DICKSON CASE

(By United Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 15.—No decision was handed down by the State Supreme Court in the Dickson injunction case asking for a restraining of Mrs. Ferguson's name on the November ballot and attacking her eligibility here this morning. A decision may not be handed down until the next regular "opinion day," October 22, it was indicated.

### SHENANDOAH TRIP IS POSTPONED

(By United Press)  
SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 15.—The flight of the Shenandoah to Camp Lejeune, Washington, was again postponed because of storms off Van Courver Island. Stormy weather was forecast in the dirigible's path for the next three days.

### MARBERRY HERE FROM GREAT SUCCESS IN BASEBALL

Fred Marberry of the pennant winning Washington Senators pitching staff arrived in Mexia today, after one of the most spectacular and sensational rises to the peak of fame in baseball stardom known to the game. A pitcher with the Gushers, in 1922, he then earned his first salary as a professional baseball player. This year, two years later, he won recognition as one of the great trivirates of the Washington club which won the world's baseball championship. His name and that of Walter Johnson and Manager Harris have been linked inseparably with the success of the Senators. He will visit his home-folks at Streetman while in Texas.

### Sea Trip May Revolutionize World Aviation

(By United Press)  
LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 15.—"The arrival of the ZR-3 opens a new era in world transportation and may mark the beginning of an economic revolution," Captain Anton Heinen, noted Zeppelin expert told the United Press today.

"Within 20 years aircraft will be used as commonly as automobiles are today. The dirigible will prove the strongest impulse the world has known for world-wide brotherhood through improving communications between distant peoples."

Heinen explained the Zeppelin works has proved beyond all doubt the practicability of construction of huge air cruisers for definite purposes such as the present transatlantic flight of the ZR-3.

"We can easily construct much larger air cruisers," the captain said. "A flight from New York to Pekin is entirely practical. A ship of five million cubic feet capacity—twice the size of the ZR-3—would amply suffice for such a voyage."

### AFTER 80 HOURS IN AIR GREAT SHIP NOW IN U. S.

By FRANK GETTY.

(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 15.—Out of the early blaze and into the blazing sunshine of a perfect Indian summer morn, the ZR-3 flew over New York harbor today close to the finish of her epoch-making flight from Friedrichshafen.

Greeted by shrieking whistles from harbor craft as it swung over the Statue of Liberty and headed up the Hudson River over New York City, the Giant Zeppelin was a brilliant silver phantom in the cloudless sky, then a reality as she passed overhead above the city throngs who craned their necks and cheered her arrival.

At 8 a. m. just 79 hours and 23 minutes after she rose from her hangar at Friedrichshafen the giant dirigible was cruising over New York, demonstrating that even at the finish of an epoch-making journey, she had plenty of reserve power.

The ZR-3 first crossed over American soil at 4:20 a. m. when her commander, Dr. Eckener, who brought her safely through the winds and perils of the Atlantic, steered the Zeppelin over Boston. This was 75 hours and 4 minutes after her departure.

Bringing her 32 officers and men safely to these shores, the world's largest dirigible soared to hurry to the waiting hangar here where landing crews and United States Navy officials awaited her arrival since dawn.

Germany's pride in her Zeppelins was reflected in Dr. Eckener's maneuvering of this latest and greatest of the Friedrichshafen brood. He sent his craft low above New York's millions to demonstrate her airworthiness.

The city sent up cheers that died on the air long before reaching the speeding airship.

No untoward incident marked the close of the flight. Passing Boston at 4:30 a. m. the Zeppelin came steadily on towards her goal.

Weather conditions were perfect. She was over Providence at 4:50 a. m. At 5 a. m. she flew low over Newport. Fifty minutes later, New London, Conn., reported her silver shape directly overhead.

By 7 a. m. the ZR-3 had reached Mitchell Field, L. I.

Escorting planes flew into the early morning haze to greet and escort the Zeppelin but missed her

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### G. O. P. CAMPAIGN FUND BODY TO MEET SOON CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—The Senate campaign fund, investigating committee will go in session in the federal building here tomorrow morning if all members of the committee are here, Senator Borah, chairman, said upon his arrival here from the west. Borah said he was confident a full attendance will be had and there will be no delay in the work.

### LUKE ELECTROCUTED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 15.—William Luke was electrocuted last night when he touched a live wire while standing on a fire escape of his home here.

Luke is believed to have touched the wire when he threw away a cigarette he was smoking.

### MARBERRY TURNS TRICK "RELIEFER" SAVES DAY

Babe Ruth Pays Tribute to Boman Whose Specialty Is "Finishing" Games



Fred Marberry, former Gusher, Streetman's contribution to the Washington Senators, and Jess McLendon, Mexia's original fan and President of the Mexia Baseball Club, who paid Fred his first baseball money, shaking hands just before Fred went in for the first game at the Polo Grounds.

By BABE RUTH  
The greatest finisher in baseball put the finishing touches on the Giants again this afternoon. Fred Marberry doesn't feel natural and doesn't pitch his best unless he has the feeling out there in the bull pen that the boys are in a real tough spot. Then, when somebody starts to wobble, Fred trots toward the pitcher's box, and so far as he's concerned, your old ball game is just beginning.

Whether it's the seventh, eighth, or ninth inning doesn't matter. He saved Zachary on Saturday and Mogridge at the Polo Grounds. He doesn't get credit for winning either game but you'll have to know him to realize he isn't after credit.

His Club Alone Counts  
Marberry is after wins for his ball club, that's all. That's how

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### FIVE INJURED WHEN MENDER HOTEL AT SAN ANTONIO IS DESTROYED BY MORNING FIRE

(By United Press)  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 15.—Three women fainting, five men were injured and 101 guests were removed from the Menger Hotel during a fire on the top floor of the hotel just before midnight last night. All the guests were taken to safety, and except a few slightly hysterical women, one excited man and an injured clerk who fell downstairs while struggling with a male guest, the exodus from the hostelry was orderly.

The five men were injured when a fire steamer collided with a street car while answering the Menger alarm. Two firemen, the conductor and motorman of the street car and one passenger were hurt.

Firemen W. R. Boyd and A. J. Ashback were taken to a hospital unconscious. Ashback is not believed to be seriously injured, but Boyd is thought to be hurt internally. Damage to the hotel is estimated at \$100,000.

Night Clerk E. A. Billingsley was passed downstairs by a hysterical guest as he aroused the inmates of the hotel. He was bruised but not

seriously injured.  
The Menger Hotel is one of the old landmarks of the city.  
ENGLISHMEN ANXIOUS TO HELP MAKE LOAN  
LONDON, Oct. 15.—A long line of men and women were waiting at the doors of the Bank of England for an opportunity to subscribe to the English quota of the \$200,000,000 reconstruction loan to Germany. The lists were oversubscribed and closed at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

PASSING OF FAMILY DOCTOR IS PREDICTED  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 15.—The passing of the family doctor was predicted last night by Dr. George E. Vincent, president of the Rockefeller Foundation, in a speech before the Conference of the American Child Health Association here.

### ONE KILLED AND ONE INJURED IN SHOOTING AFFRAY

(By United Press)  
GROESBECK, Texas, Oct. 15.—Jess Watson, ranch owner, was held in jail here today upon a charge of murder and assault to kill in connection with the fatal shooting of Oliver Maiden, 24, and injury of Nick Malden, father, at Oletha, near here, late yesterday.

Young Maiden died instantly. The older man will recover. The shooting followed a dispute over rentals upon the Watson farm, according to the county attorney here today. Watson will probably be arraigned here tomorrow, it was stated.

### Edmond Teachers Beat Baylor At The Fair Tuesday

(By United Press)

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 15.—The Edmond, Oklahoma, Teachers, conquerors of Kansas a few days ago, added the football scalp of Baylor university of Waco to their string of season's victories before a State Fair crowd here yesterday 13 to 6.

Two touchdowns, one scored in the first quarter and the other in the closing period, put the game on ice for the rugged Oklahomans. Flashes of brilliant aerial work also helped maintain the teachers' lead. Baylor shoved over its only touchdown of the game in the third quarter when Pittman carried the ball over by straight football. Brauer and Kent successfully lugged for the Oklahomans. Williamson place-kicked goal for one point after the second touchdown.

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### Gun Battle Fatal To Kansas City Man In Hold Up

(By United Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 15.—One man is dead, three others are wounded, one seriously and two are under arrest as the result of a gun battle which climaxed five daring daylight hold-ups in the "sam bandit" Tuesday.

John B. Stuckey, a taxicab driver was killed by police when the latter overtook Stuckey's car carrying John Ray Smith, the bandit and opened fire. Smith was wounded and surrendered.

Last night bloodhounds picked up a trail at the scene of the robbery by two bandits of a jewelry store yesterday noon in which three men were wounded and followed it to a downtown hotel lobby and to the chair of Russell Judy, 23. Judy was arrested.

Smith, who had a ticket for Chicago in his clothes, admitted his part in the jewelry store hold-up and four others staged yesterday afternoon.

### COOLIDGE SENDS CONGRATULATIONS TO ZR-3 COMMANDER

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—President Coolidge sent Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the ZR-3 a message congratulating him upon the success of his "splendid adventure," which the president envisaged as the "forerunner of other trans-Atlantic flights."

### HOUSTON'S YELLOW FEVER SCARE OVER

(By United Press)  
HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 15.—The yellow fever menace here is believed to have disappeared. No new outbreak has been reported since the original discovery. Final inspection will be made today and unless there is some indication of the malady among eighty Mexicans held in isolation they will be released.



# BRITISH ARREST SEVEN CHINESE GENERALS IN SHANGHAI

(By United Press)  
SHANGHAI, Oct. 15, 10 p. m.—British military authorities arrested seven Chinese generals, including Little Hsu, Anfu, leader, causing the collapse of the new war which has threatened the city since the defeat of the army of General Hsiao. It was indicated that the British embassy may assume general supervision over the disposition of spoils of the war between the rival leaders.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 16.—Leaderless Chinese soldiers still threatened Shanghai today as rival groups fought for the right to loot the city following defeat of Gen. Lu Yung Hsiang by Gen. Chi Hsiang Yuan and his combined Kiangsu-Fukien troops. Chinese forces were entrenching two miles from the boundaries of the French concession and the foreign settlement at noon.

Fighting between the rival forces was resumed at midnight near Nanking and without eight miles of Shanghai.

# Giant Airship Reaches America

and the ZR-3 came on majestically across. A United Press reporter flew in one of the planes which came swooping back to pick up the dirigible and act as an escort of honor during the brief moments while she was passing over the long island drome.

Twenty minutes after seven the ZR-3 was over the outskirts of New York.

There was no work done in office buildings. Stenographers, clerks, office boys and "the boss" hung out of windows for a look at the Zeppelin.

Throngs in the streets stopped on their way to work to gaze upward. Now and then traffic got hopelessly tangled, but nobody cared.

All on board the airship were well, some remembering from flight attacks of "air sickness," similar to sea sickness, sustained when the dirigible ran into "bumpy" weather after leaving the Azores.

At 12:10 a. m. on her report of the day the ZR-3 gave her position as 35 miles southwest of Cape Sable. From then on she progressed swiftly down the Maine coast, but keeping out to sea.

Her commander held her to a speed of 72 miles an hour. To Boston went the honor of being the first American city to greet the Zeppelin, but few persons were stirring in the city's streets during the brief minutes between 4:20 and 4:30 that the dirigible was overhead.

Highland light, off Cape Cod was the first to sight the dirigible. The lookout there flashing the ZR's appearance at 5:15 a. m.

Vessels tooted and whistled and the early morning sun glistened on the

Statue of Liberty as the dirigible dipped a pennant in salute while passing overhead.

Sea gulls, no more graceful than the silver shape above, emitted raucous cries as they dipped and wheeled and some mounted high to shriek at this strange visitor from the skies.

The dirigible headed straight north, up the Hudson River. It passed over the Woolworth Tower at 8 a. m. and kept on its course.

A few minutes later it was high over the Palisades.

Turning again to the south the ZR-3 came back over the city. As though it were merely on a practice jaunt it swung low over downtown buildings.

At 8:15 its motors roaring in perfect unison, it passed, on even keel, over the United Press offices in the World Building.

It was hard for those watching its deliberate and easy maneuvers to realize that this enormous, slender ship of the skies had just come from Germany, more than three days and three nights on a voyage fraught with peril, second of her kind ever to cross the Atlantic.

The stories of the ocean were passed and the fogs of the banks safely outwitted and Dr. Eckener was seizing the opportunity to make the most of his flight as propaganda for Zeppelins.

His purpose in flying over New York City so low and so long was to demonstrate the future of the dirigible type and possibly persuade the allies and the United States to let him continue building monster lighter than aircraft.

It was hard, too, to realize that this Zeppelin was one of the few things that the United States got out of the World War. When the ZR-3 is passed by our naval experts, she will be accepted as one of the spoils of war and Dr. Eckener and the German crew will go back to Germany on steamships.

# Marberry Turns Trick Says Ruth

ley was bold of one, it's over the roof. But three strikes were all big Jack could get for his trouble in walking to the plate.

After getting Bentley out of the way Lindstrom gets his third hit of the game and Frisch worked Marberry for a base on balls. Now look what he's got on his hands—Pop Young whom McGraw considers one of his finest players, and George Kelly, the demon slugger of the Giants. Young forced Frisch, but Kelly is up there swinging his war club mean and furious.

Ty Cobb, sitting alongside of me in the press box, says, "Now, Babe, the big boy will show his stuff." And right after that thousands of people were walking toward the exit as I wrote S. O. after Kelly's name.

He "Stopped" Kelly

To really appreciate what Marberry got away with you've got to realize that in striking out George Kelly he stopped the boy who got three home runs in a single game this Summer. And one of the surest sluggers in the National League.

Of course, it wouldn't be fair to give Marberry all the credit. I don't mean to do anything like that. I want to tell something about Mog-

# MEN AND WOMEN IN THE NEWS SPOTLIGHT.



Mrs. Asa G. Chandler, Sr., estranged young wife of Atlanta, Ga., "Coca Cola King," suffered a nervous breakdown as the result of an automobile accident in which her car struck and probably fatally injured a five-year-old girl. Betty Brown, recently a Broadway dancing darling, kept her marriage to New York City to wealthy George Ellis Widmer, manufacturer, a secret for a year and eight months. When she revealed it, she said she would not trade her happy married life for all the stage fame in the world. Leopold Godowsky, noted pianist, returning to New York from European tour, declared jazz was a revelation in rhythm and was of the right sort. He will incorporate jazz music in his program. With few colored spots and the slightest clothing even, Charlie Wast, of many aliases, was picked up by New York City police, with \$13,000 in loose change in his clothes and \$8,000 worth of diamonds on his fingers.

ridge and Manager Harris. They not only crossed McGraw and the baseball public, but they put one over on two of their best routers—Ty Cobb and myself.

Ty figured Mogridge wouldn't be able to pitch a single game. And George told me himself, in the dug-out Monday, that his arm was sore and he didn't feel good enough to work a single inning. That of course, turned out to be the old college foot ball propaganda.

Well, as the Giants found out, his arm was just about as crippled as a football team that goes out and beats its rival by a dozen touchdowns. Outside of young Lindstrom the Giants got three hits. You've got to give credit to Harris the way he has handled his pitchers. Two left-handers have stopped the Giants in their tracks, the series is two-all, and Walter Johnson, king of them all, is rested and ready to start the fifth game.

And you've got to give Harris credit for more than that. He got away with some fielding at second base yesterday that must even make Frankie Frisch do some thinking. He doesn't thrill the crowd with any circus sliding like Frisch, but in the long run, that's a dangerous way of playing second base.

When Frisch made a wonderful, but unnecessary slide after Goslin's swat to centre field, it reminded me of the time Rube Oldring cracked his shoulder blade by the same kind of work.

The series has got to go six games now, and if Walter Johnson wins on Wednesday, I've got a feeling Washington might win the series and make me look awful bad as a dopster.

# TRADES DAY IS DECIDED ON BY MEXIA

The Mexia Retail Merchants Association held its second monthly banquet at the Topic Cafe Tuesday night, at which time a large number of the members was present.

The most important result of the gathering was a decision reached to make November 8th, a Trades Day in Mexia. John McElroy, President and Secretary T. B. Haines, are very much gratified at the decision. The week before the event, a trades excursion and good will tour will be held, in which all of the business interests of Mexia are invited to join and at which time the Mexia trade territory will be thoroughly covered.

# WALLACE OPERATED ON SUCCESSFULLY TODAY

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace underwent a successful operation at the Naval hospital here for the removal of his appendix and gall bladder. Mr. Wallace had been in ill health for some time.

After listening to a neighbor lady practicing the piano for eight months, Herr Unwerth of Berlin took a shot at her with a revolver, but missed. He was placed under a peace bond.

# 1500 Hear Klan Speaker Tuesday Night at Buffalo

BUFFALO, Leon County, October 15.—This town was filled last night with about 1500 people who gathered to witness a Klan parade, to hear State Chaplain Lloyd P. Bloodworth of the organization deliver a public address on the tenets of the Ku Klux Klan, and to participate in a barbecue by Klansmen and their families. About 100 Klansmen from various points in this section participated in the parade. The scene was viewed quietly. Little applause greeted the spectacle which was unusual in this section, but before Rev. Bloodworth had completed his address, the body seemed to be as one almost in sympathy with the order. He spoke on the four foundation stones on which America is built, the home, the open Bible, the Public School and Constitutional government, including the Constitution and all its amendments.

# HEAVY FIGHTING IN STREETS OF CANTON

(By United Press)  
HONG KONG, Oct. 15.—Heavy fighting broke out in the streets of Canton this morning between troops of Sun Yat Sen, South China dictator and the holders of the Merchant Volunteer corps.

Tullie Handlon of Indianapolis, was killed by a siver of glass from his automobile windshield, broken by a tomato thrown by an unknown person. The glass pierced an artery in Handlon's throat and he bled to death in fifteen minutes.

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# MEN AND WOMEN PROMINENT IN NEWS



Mrs. Mabel Gilman Corey, divorced wife of the American ex-steel magnate, was at one time reported engaged in Paris to Prince Luis Ferdinand of Spain, who has been deported from France and whose honors have been taken from him by the King of Spain, whose cousin he is, because of his indiscretions. M. Stettin, Soviet Minister of Nationalists, has been stabbed in the shoulder in Moscow by a Georgian named Havelock Wilson, who then killed himself. J. Havelock Wilson, president of the International Senators' Federation, with a membership of 2,000,000 members, has arrived in New York to discuss the rights of seamen with the immigration authorities of the United States. Vicente Blasco Ibanez, author of the "Four Horsemen," "Blood and Sand" and other famous novels, has bitterly attacked King Alfonso of Spain, declaring the "degenerate Alfonso," and not the military dictatorship, is to blame for Spanish catastrophes in the Moroccan war.

# Mental Attitude Very Important In Grid Games

By JOHN F. MAULTBETSCH  
(Head Football Coach, Oklahoma A. & M. College)  
(All-American Halfback Michigan University, 1914)  
(Written for the United Press)  
STILLWATER, Ok., Oct. 15.—Psychology plays a more prominent part in football than the average fan believes, or knows.

The mental attitude of the fan football team with its back to the goal or of the team doped to the loser has a place all its own.

Psychology upsets many dope pots.

The outstanding instance of the force psychology has was in the result of the Oklahoma A. & M. College-Texas Christian University game last Saturday.

The Aggies were picked to win, not by a slight margin but by a substantial lead. They lost; the Frogs taking the long end of a 17 to 10 count at Fort Worth.

A week before, the Aggies were in a different role—and old psychology worked. The Aggies were not expected to triumph over Kansas University at Lawrence but they did by 3 to 0.

The winner on paper not always is the winner on the field.

If it is composed of the proper sort of fighters, the underdog outfit goes into the game with a firmer determination and stronger heart than does the favorite team, which unwittingly feels a superiority and

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By N. P. RouxTHE GOVERNORS RACE  
PRO AND ANTI

A "Butte for Governor" club has been organized in Franklin. Mrs. Ferguson will probably have the hardest fight ever experienced by a Democratic nominee for State office in Texas, and while we can hardly conceive of the idea of Texas electing a Republican governor, you cannot always sometimes tell what grandold Texas will do. — Franklin Texan.

The gubernatorial contest in Texas is attracting attention not alone in the United States but across the seas as well. From Budapest, across the seas, comes a message, to Mrs. Franz Kohfeldt Sr. from her sister, expressing the hope that "Ma" will win. — Denison Herald.

In the midst of the world series, the Chinese war and the Ferguson campaign for governor permit us to call your attention to the fact that it is just eighty days until Christmas. — Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

Only old bachelors and a few married men believe that Pa will beat Ma after she becomes governor. All of the women and most of the married men know better. — Kosse Cyclone.

"The most voracious man of our day," says the Dallas Journal, "is the Texan who insists that he can vote for a republican and be a democrat." Examples: Mrs. Ferguson, Jim Ferguson and Barry Miller. A newspaper example: The Dallas Morning News, that supported William McKinley in 1896. — Geo. Bailey in Houston Post-Dispatch.

Geo. C. Butte, the republican candidate for governor, is making an intensive campaign and is gaining many votes. Several prominent democrats here, who have never before scratched the democratic ticket, have told us that they would vote for Butte at the November election. They place the welfare of the State above the party collar. — Riesel Rustler.

And when we consult our pastor as to how we should vote it chills us to be told we should ignore our pledge. — Snap Shots.

The thought of being excommunicated by the Democratic party for bolting a bolter will strike terror to many hearts. — nlt. — Bonham Favorite.

At a recent meeting of the State Democratic Executive Committee it was decided to make a thorough canvass of the state in the interest of all the democratic nominees. These Hodge Democrats (?) will be looked after, never fear. — Thornton Hustler.

The supreme issue always is honest and efficient government, not the personal ambition of a citizen or a candidate of a party. That is why Mr. Davis should be elected president. It is also why Jim Ferguson should not be permitted to get his clutches on the State of Texas again. — Geo. Bailey in Houston Post-Dispatch.

Regardless of whether the next governor of Texas is Ma Ferguson or George Butte, Grayson county will stand in need of a system of good roads. Why not talk about a campaign to that end instead of restricting our enthusiasm along strictly political lines? — Denison Herald.

Three thousand people are reported to have heard Dr. Butte's opening address in Sherman, most of whom were Democrats, we judge, since we don't believe that many Republicans could be scared up in this section. The distinguished citizen who introduced him, Dr. Clyde, says he has always been a Democrat, is yet a Democrat, and that he is going to cast a Democratic vote for Dr. Butte for the sake of Texas. The day was when we looked upon the man who bolted the Democratic ticket and supported the opposing candidate as outside the party, but by the action of the Democratic party in the late primary we are led to believe that our view of party loyalty is out of date. The Democratic party has given its endorsement to the bolters, and it cannot complain if its members follow its endorsement and bolt. We shall not do so, but those who pursue a different course from ours can point to the action of the party as an endorsement of their course. — Bonham Favorite.

## WHY WORRY?

Why worry? The most of us will work for a living without regard to who is elected governor in the November election. — Bryan Eagle.

Indeed, why should we worry over the political outlook? Rather let us look forward to doing better work under the next governor regardless of whether he or she wins in the coming contest. We who sit on the side lines and comment on the outcome, should leave the worrying to that large contingent of old timers who will deluge the next governor with applications for position at the

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## HOW'S BUSINESS?

"It would be a little difficult to compare our business with this time last year for the reason that we have moved into larger quarters, more prominently located, and have added new lines to our stock," said Ivin Nedler, of the Boston Store, when asked the question.

"Our volume of sales is naturally much larger," he said. "We are pleased with the patronage the public has given us ever since we opened our little store on Sherman Street. Our business is gathering momentum and growing in volume until we have begun to believe that Mexia is about the best town in Texas."

"Our 1924 business is very satisfactory. Our fall business is good, and we expect to reap a full harvest before the holidays."

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## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Board of Education has employed Mrs. E. M. Strange to direct a High School Glee Club, to be composed of both boys and girls. Much enthusiasm has been manifested toward this organization, and a successful club is expected.

The Mexia Rotary Club held their weekly luncheon in the High School cafeteria last Thursday. Songs were sung by the students who ate during the sixth period. Our principal, Mr. Andrews, was admitted to membership in the organization at this meeting.

The Senior Class of Mexia High

School met in business session Tuesday, October 7, 1924 for the purpose of selecting the class rings, invitations, and cards. All the business houses in Mexia dealing in these goods had been asked to submit samples and prices before that date. Some had requested further time but the class by unanimous vote decided to select at once. After carefully examining the samples submitted, the rings were ordered from Wesson Jewelry Company; invitations from R. A. Wagner; and cards from Anderson and Horn Drug Company.

A vote of thanks was then rendered the Sophomore class for its cooperation and assistance in the recent football sponsor contest. With

no further business the meeting adjourned.

The first class sponsor that taught high school had so many fishes she didn't know what to do. So she took them on a weiner roast and to us the biggest thing was that the Seniors arrived and began to boast. What a sad climax they'd bring but the fish class sponsor, with a howl of glee, gave each a hot dog and a roll and a glass and a punch. And marched them across the bridge, for the Seniors to do the spanking and she sent them to bed.

The Freshmen enjoyed one of the first social events of the season, when 75 of them gathered at the

Baptist church and hiked to Wright's tank. Upon arriving there, the guests lined up for hot dogs, rolls and a glass of punch, completing the meal with a marshmallow roast. The rest of the evening was spent in games and stunts until the Seniors came out to fish. They entertained us most royally. All departed with a good spirit, waiting for our next evening together. Mr. and Mrs. John McElroy were guests during the last part of the evening. Miss Eva Scheel, sponsored the class, assisted by Miss Wells.

Edwin Denby, former secretary of the navy, has been made a 33rd degree Mason in recognition of distinguished services to the order.

## Houses Dresses

—One big lot ladies house dresses, \$1.50 values, Dollar Day, each \$1

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—One big lot of 36-inch Sateen, all colors; 65c value; Dollar Day, 2 yds. \$1



## A Weekly Event of Paramount Values

—Tomorrow Mexia shoppers may attend another Bargain Day typifying the value-giving power of Jackson's Dollar Day. Nearly every department is represented in this bargain-giving event. Countless specials not advertised are here. Look for the Dollar Day signs—all are special values. Best to come early in the day. Have you a car? Motor in; bring your friend with you. You will both enjoy the saving.

## Dress Flannel

Yard \$1

—One special lot of dress flannel in all colors; regularly selling for \$1.50 per yard; tomorrow very special at the yard \$1

## Boys' Night Shirts

Each \$1

—Boy's outing flannel night shirts; assorted in size, good quality, our regular \$1.50 grade, tomorrow special at each \$1

## Silk Pongee

Yard \$1

—This is a very beautiful lot of pongee; very suitable for making waists and blouses for children. This is our regular \$1.25 value; specially priced Dollar Day, yard \$1

## Imported Gingham

2 1/2 Yds. \$1

—One lot of imported 32-inch dress gingham; 65c values; special for Dollar Day at 2 1/2 yards \$1

## Men's Summer Unions

2 for \$3.00

—One big lot of men's extra good summer union suits; regularly selling for \$2.50 each; for this one day only at 2 for \$3

## Kimona Outings

4 Yards \$1

—One lot of 36 inch Kimona outings, 35c value; very specially priced Dollar Day at 4 yards for \$1

## EXTRA SPECIAL

500 yards of Silk; values up to \$2.50 per yard; Dollar Day, per yard \$1

## EXTRA SPECIAL

100 Ladies Hats; values \$7.50; Dollar Day, each \$3.95

## Men's Night Shirts

Each \$1

—One lot of men's outing flannel night shirts; good standard quality; while they last at each \$1

## Hope Domestic

7 Yards \$1

—We are going to sell this good domestic at the special price \$1 of 7 yards for \$1

## Bath Towels

5 For \$1

—One big lot of 20x40 bath towels; 65c values, very special for Thursday at 5 for \$1

## Ladies Silk Hose

—One big lot of ladies silk hose; all the wanted fall colors; special tomorrow at 2 pair for \$1

## Dress Gingham

8 Yards \$1

—A large table of 17 1/2c dress gingham in wanted patterns; special Thursday at 8 yards \$1

## 36-Inch Madras

3 Yards \$1

—One big lot of 36 inch madras for men's and boy's shirts; a regular 50c material; special for Dollar Day, 3 yards for \$1

## Ladies Silk Hose

—Offering this special lot of hosiery in good standard quality; an excellent value at each pair \$1

## Dress Gingham

5 Yards \$1

—About two dozen pieces of pretty gingham in checks, and stripes; very specially priced for Dollar Day at 5 yards for \$1

## Cheviots

5 Yards \$1

—One lot of cheviots for shirts; worth 25c; special for Dollar Day at 5 yards for \$1

## 36-In. Brown Domestic

—A good 15c quality, 36-inches wide; special for Dollar Day at 10 yards for \$1

## Imperial Chambrey

3 Yards \$1

—One lot of Imperial Chambrey; 40c grade, pretty patterns, specially priced 3 yards for \$1

## Outing Flannel

5 Yards \$1

—36-inches wide; light and dark colors; 25c grade; special at 5 yards for \$1

## 36-In. Bleached Domestic

—One lot of 36 inch bleached standard grade domestic; 17 1/2c value, special tomorrow at 10 yards \$1

## Men's Unions

Each \$1

—Men's long sleeve ankle length union suits, good quality; for this day's sale each \$1

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## Boys' Unions

Each \$1

—One lot of boys' knit union suits; not the ordinary kind but good quality; well worth \$1.25, Dollar Day, each \$1

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## "For Mexia. I WILL"

### FARM BOOKKEEPING

No modern business man would think of conducting a store or factory year after year without keeping records to show whether he is making or losing money. Yet many farmers try to get along with no records at all, or keep records so incomplete and haphazard as to be of little value.

Many progressive farmers do keep books in a practical way and these are usually the ones who make a success of farming. They realize that they are business men, engaged in the greatest business in the world, and they adopt business methods accordingly.

Not only should farmers' books show the total amount of his receipts and expenditures, but should show a separate account for each crop and for each other activity, such as livestock, poultry, fruits, vegetables, and so on.

Bookkeeping on the farm will not turn losses into profits, but it will serve to point out the mistakes of a given year and give a great help in avoiding them in future years. No farm should be conducted without a complete and accurate system of bookkeeping.

Many farmers in this section keep a set of books equal to any business man, according to income tax auditors who assist in making out returns. In such an instance, they find income tax reporting easy, and those who keep a record of poultry proceeds know that poultry pays and pays well.

Press dispatches indicate that we'll pay more this year for the Thanksgiving Turkey than we have in years. It's too bad we haven't more of them to offer to the market in this section. If we had of raised more turkeys, we'd have more cotton for they would have helped destroy the grasshoppers that were so bad.

Men are more convincing liars than women, declares a Danish professor, who attributes this to the fact that men have had more practice.

A Georgia court has decided that being legally hanged does not invalidate a man's insurance. Policy-holders are thus relieved of one source of worry.

Item from a Texas newspaper: "Charley White, formerly a good citizen of this place, but now a traveling salesman, was in town Monday."

An easier word to take the place of "chauffeur" is being sought, but none of the names ordinarily used by pedestrians would do in polite society.

The bravest editor has been found. He declares his paper "does not print poetry of any kind at any time."

Scandal-mongers have no union rules and never object to working overtime.

Mount Shasta's glacier had been throwing mud lately, probably taking its cue from the politicians.

Northern bathing beauties must now put on some clothes and retire from the news pictures.

The annual crop of stories about squirrels gathering golf balls is now due.

## THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

### DEMOCRATS ARE NOT MANACLED.

(By the Post-Dispatch)

Four years ago, when Jim Ferguson considered the democratic party as inimical to his personal interests, he said, "To hell with the democratic party," and organized a party for the purpose of overthrowing it.

Two years ago, Jim Ferguson became a candidate in the democratic primaries for United States senator in a large field of candidates. In July, he ran second in the number of votes polled, and was a candidate in the August primary, in which he was defeated by a decisive majority.

Did the Ferguson accept the result? They not only did not remain away from the polls, but became active supporters of the republican nominee for senator, and Jim Ferguson received compensation for his newspaper's services in behalf of the republican nominee.

What became of the primary pledges which were printed on the tickets the Ferguson voted in 1922?

What became of the primary

pledges some 60,000 democrats voted in the July and August primaries—those 60,000 who in November voted for the republican nominee for senator?

Why was it that the Ferguson could not be held to their primary pledges, and yet now contend that patriotic men and women, who shudder at the thought of Jim Ferguson's getting his clutches on the State government by proxy, may not follow their consciences and vote to save the honor of the State of Texas?

Every intelligent Texan knows that Mrs. Ferguson is merely a technical party nominee, and not actually the choice of the democrats of this State for governor.

The outrageous primary election lottery in July in which she received 29 per cent of the vote cast revealed the number of democrats who wanted her to be the nominal, and her impeached husband the actual, governor of Texas.

In the August primary, the people, forced to a "Hobson's choice," gave her the preference over the klan, but they then had no opportunity to pass judgment upon Fergusonism without accepting the klan,

which was offensive to them.

To say that hundreds of thousands of men and women, to whom Fergusonism is but slightly less offensive than the klan, must smother their consciences and vote Jim Ferguson back into power, without accountability, in spite of the constitutional barrier with which the public authority is protected, when they are convinced that such a course would be disastrous to the State, is merely the kind of bunk that machine politicians invoke to affect their own unworthy ends.

Duty to the State is the supreme duty of the citizen, and if the condoning of Jim Ferguson's offenses, for which he was impeached and removed from office, does not impress them in the light of duty, they have their remedy at the ballot box. A free, conscientious vote is the citizen's highest obligation.

And the question that confronts them is whether Jim Ferguson shall again be entrusted with the powers of the State government, from the exercise of which the high court of impeachment, provided by the constitution, has barred him.

The honor and integrity of the democratic party, and the welfare of the State, is in no sense bound up in the proxy candidacy of Jim Ferguson for governor of Texas. The present predicament is not one created by the people, but by the politicians operating through a political lottery in which the people's unfettered choice was stifled.

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### RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank.....	\$375,627.38
2. Overdrafts: unsecured.....	8,457.73
4. U. S. Government securities owned: All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any).....	4,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.....	164,386.25
6. Banking house \$53,800; Furniture and fixtures \$15,644.95.....	69,444.95
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	86,817.53
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....	819,231.68
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8 and 10).....	11,925.35
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....	6,707.68
Total of Items 10, 11 and 13.....	\$887,874.71
14. Miscellaneous cash items.....	1,857.08
16. Other assets, if any.....	3,809.24

Total.....\$1,562,254.85

### LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
18. Surplus fund.....	12,000.00
19. Undivided profits.....	\$27,828.27
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 10,975.94.....	17,782.33
22. Amount due to national banks.....	191,031.07
23. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies and foreign countries (other than included in Item 22).....	21,358.04
25. Cashier's checks outstanding.....	13,787.57
Total of Items 22, 23, and 25.....	\$226,176.68
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
26. Individual deposits subject to check.....	1,181,325.84
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Item 26.....	\$1,181,325.84
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	15,000.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Item 32.....	\$15,000.00
Total.....	\$1,562,254.85

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Limestone, ss:

I, N. Hollingsworth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:  
J. Sandford Smith  
Walter Womack  
B. S. Smith, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1924.

David Murphy,  
Notary Public

No. 908.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FARMERS STATE BANK, AT MEXIA, STATE OF TEXAS, at the close of business on the 10th day of October, 1924, published in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper printed and published at Mexia, State of Texas, on the 15th day of October, 1924.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$544,438.25
Loans, real estate.....	NONE
Overdrafts.....	5,387.08
Bonds and Stocks.....	71,126.88
Real Estate (banking house).....	38,903.50
Other Real Estate.....	45,595.69
Furniture and Fixtures.....	21,469.32
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand.....	187,283.03
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	13,327.20
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	33,329.12
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange.....	193,631.19
Other Resources.....	580.41

Total.....\$1,155,078.87

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	15,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	10,256.97
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net.....	48,694.16
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	958,716.22
Savings Deposits, (Postal).....	219.71
Certified Checks.....	144.22
Cashier's Checks.....	20,899.91
Other Liabilities.....	1,137.28

Total.....\$1,155,078.87

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Limestone.

We, Jno. H. Sweatt, as president, and J. L. Hearn, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:  
A. H. Eubanks  
Roy B. Bass  
W. D. Freeman, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of October, A. D. 1924.

J. L. Hearn, Cashier.  
Notary Public, Limestone Co., Texas.

Charter No. 11964

Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK, AT MEXIA, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 10, 1924.

### RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts.....	\$349,989.68
2. Overdrafts.....	NONE
4. U. S. Government securities owned: a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value).....	\$100,000.00
b All other United States Government securities (including premium, if any).....	38,243.32
Total.....	138,243.32
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.....	89,063.71
6. Banking house, \$40,000; furniture and fixtures \$14,095.45.....	54,095.45
7. Real estate owned other than banking house.....	2,136.87
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	62,964.94
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....	633,735.38
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States.....	823.72
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....	2,717.37
Total of Items 10, 11, and 13.....	\$637,276.47
14. Miscellaneous cash items.....	281.22
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer.....	5,000.00

Total.....\$1,333,101.66

### LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
18. Surplus fund.....	13,000.00
19. Undivided profits.....	\$32,529.22
Reserved for depreciation.....	1,000.00
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 10,371.10.....	23,158.12
20. Circulating notes outstanding.....	98,300.00
21. Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits).....	3,390.53
22. Amount due to national banks.....	4,890.86
25. Cashier's checks outstanding.....	9,746.07
Total of Items 21, 22 and 25.....	\$18,027.58
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
26. Individual deposits subject to check.....	606,587.09
28. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond.....	72,147.23
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26 and 28.....	\$678,734.32
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
33. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond.....	101,876.25
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Item 33.....	\$101,876.25
44. Liabilities other than those above stated.....	5.39

Total.....\$1,333,101.66

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Limestone, ss:

I, David Murphy, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:  
J. Desenberg  
Blake Smith  
Emile Nusbaum  
E. L. Smith, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1924.

DAVID MURPHY, V-President and Cashier.  
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## Black Cats Putting On Final Touches for Clash With Marlin

The Mexia High Black Cats are toiling far into the late afternoon putting on the last touches for their clash with the Marlin High Bulldogs. A large number of football followers of this city will accompany the cats on their invasion of the Falls county "burg," on Friday of this week.

The Bulldogs are in the race for district honors and are going to offer strong opposition to all district contenders. Marlin has quite a number of their old stars from last year's eleven back in uniform. Their mainstays are Bartlett, Russell, Lenoir and Pyland. Coach Mayhew has practically the same system as last year and the Cats are prepared for him.

The Cats may be minus the services of Wayne Lucas, star left tackle, who injured his shoulder in workout Tuesday afternoon. His shoulder may be in condition to play in part of the game however. The line-up will probably be Hoelzel and Aude, ends, Thompson and Murphy at tackles, McKenzie and Collier at guards with Bennett at punt. Cover will start at quarter; Kerner and Perkinson at halves and Babert at fullback.

### NOTICE.

I, George Harris, have bought the SQUARE DEAL DRUG STORE 111 West Commerce St., Mexia, Tex., and from this date I alone buy all supplies and incur all debts for said drug store.

GEORGE HARRIS.

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## IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Many Backache Often Means You Have Not Been Drinking Enough Water.

When you wake up with backache or dull ache in the kidney region, it may mean you have been eating food which creates acids, says a well-known authority. An excess of such acids overloads the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become out of balance and lazy. When your kidneys act sluggish and slow, you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous wastes, so you have backache, feel dizzy, dizzy spells, your stomach feels bloated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatism. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get water scales and you are forced to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Further consult a good, reliable doctor, or at once get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grape and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and soothe sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the system, so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

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#### Central Standard Time.

By DAISY MAYES.

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.  
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WIP, 6:00 Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.  
WWJ, 6:00 Detroit News orchestra; Wendall Hall.  
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## Enlistments For Navy Resumed

(By United Press)

DALLAS, Oct. 15.—Recruiting was resumed in the navy Saturday after a lapse of between five and six months. The navy has accepted no enlistments during that time because of pending action on the armament agreement.

The enlisted personnel of the navy is now below normal and enlistments will be received in limited numbers.

The Dallas district, which includes Sherman, Denison, Houston, Amarillo, Fort Worth, and San Antonio will be limited to twenty-two new men a week.

Standard Oil Company wants Germany to pay \$10,000,000 for damage done to its Roumanian oil properties during the world war.

## TWO IN THIS FAMILY TESTED OUT TANLAC

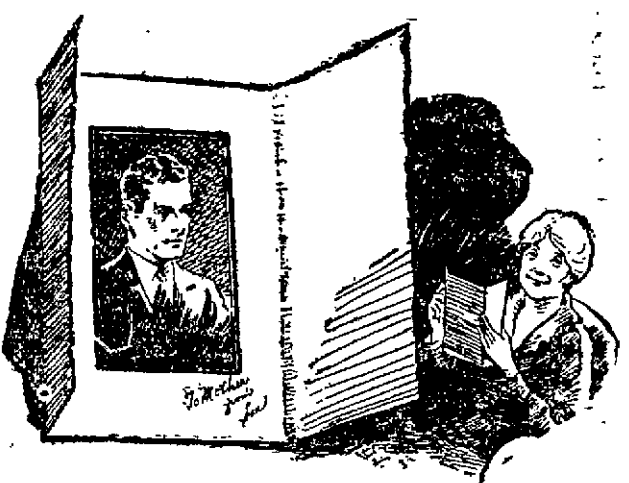
"Mrs. Haynes and I have just finished taking six bottles of Tanlac and have been built up to the best of health," is the candid statement of A. P. Haynes, a mail carrier, P. O. Box 210 So. San Antonio, Texas. "We both had stomach trouble and could eat hardly anything without suffering afterwards. But now we eat everything we want and have no trouble from it. Mrs. Haynes used to have an awful time from stomach cramps, gas bloating, sick headaches, sleepless nights and felt tired all the time."

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# STUARTS

# Bootleggers Asked For Help On Road And Got Pinched

(By United Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 14.—Governor Pat Neff knows now how the state ranger force operates to uphold the prohibition laws.

While the governor and Ranger Sergeant M. N. Koonsman were driving in an automobile between Brady and Brownwood, four motorists, whose machine had broken down, appealed for help.

Koonsman managed to give help when he snuffed liquor. Investigating, he found three half gallon fruit jars of white lightning in the car. Complaints will be filed against the quartet, officers said.

During the incident, governor Pat Neff looked on without revealing his identity to the prisoners.

# Sent Her Home To Finish Dressing

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Oct. 15.—Dressed in all the splendor of Parisian fashion's latest dictates, she strolled down one of Dallas' main streets one morning recently.

The skirt was short—of course—and likewise in accordance with gay Paris' design, was split and overlapped—but not enough, apparently, for as she walked the garment opened and displayed—

Anyway, the silk hose was rolled and there were other dainty frills of more intimate nature, all of which had attracted a considerable gathering and decoyed many male glances from near and far.

Appeared a cruel policeman on the scene.

"Young lady," quoth he, "you'll have to go home and put on more clothes or tell the judge why not."

She went—the crowd dispersed.

John Hale of Temple was here for a little while Wednesday.

H. J. Speed was here from Waco Wednesday.

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# How They Will Receive ZR-3

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A simple receipt will be handed Dr. Hogo Eckener, commander of the R-3 by Admiral Archibald Sales, Commander of the Fourth Naval District when the giant dirigible arrives at Lakehurst Wednesday.

No other ceremony will mark the transfer of the airship from German to American hands, naval officers said.

The receipt given Eckener will be a "custody receipt." A final receipt will not be given until the ship has been put through a severe trial including speed, endurance and lifting tests.

# LOS ANGELES WILL HAVE MANY 1925 CONVENTIONS

(By International News Service.)  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 15.—That Los Angeles is one of the leading convention cities of America is evidenced by gatherings already slated here for 1925.

Among the important national associations to meet here next year are:

Delta Epsilon Pi fraternity in June. National Life Stock Exchange in June.

International New Thought Alliance in July.

Western Music Trades Association in July.

American Chemical Society in July.

American Philatelic Society in August.

Controllers' Congress in March.

American Radio and Electric Exposition in January.

National Association of Dyers and Cleaners in January.

National Association of Builders' Exchanges in February.

National Safety Council in April.

National Air Brake Association in May.

International Kindergarten Union in July.

Shriners in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison returned Tuesday from a few days visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. MacKenzie spent the day here Wednesday from Corsicana.

# PRINCESS MARY'S SECOND SON.



ULICK DAVID LASCELLES, second son of Princess Mary, only daughter of the British rulers, who was christened a few days ago at Goldborough (England) Church. The naming of the child is said to have caused a breach with her royal parents, who were not present at the christening.

# COLLEGES WILL REVEAL ATTITUDE TOWARD K. K. K.

(By International News Service.)  
FOUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 14.—The attitude of 24 leading American colleges, for both men and women, will be revealed at an inter-collegiate conference called for October 18 under the auspices of the Political Association of Vassar College. Each of the colleges invited to the conference has been asked to send three delegates, representing

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# Dirigible Will Not Be Practical For Mail Service

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A hard headed, practical organization like the postal service that makes its money in pennies has no immediate use for luxuries like the Shenandoah and ZR-3, according to Postmaster General New.

New looks at the dirigible problem like a business man—from the dollars and cents points of view.

"The great cost of operating the receipt will be handed Dr. Hugo now by the Post Office Department," he told the United Press.

If the 36-hour coast to coast air mail service now in operation using single motor airplanes and one man crews cannot be made to pay its way with rates of 24 cents an ounce the dirigible service would not be practical, New said.

the three leading parties in the Presidential campaign. Not only will the hooded order be discussed, but the conference will bare its views of the League of Nations, international disarmament and all live issues before the world today.

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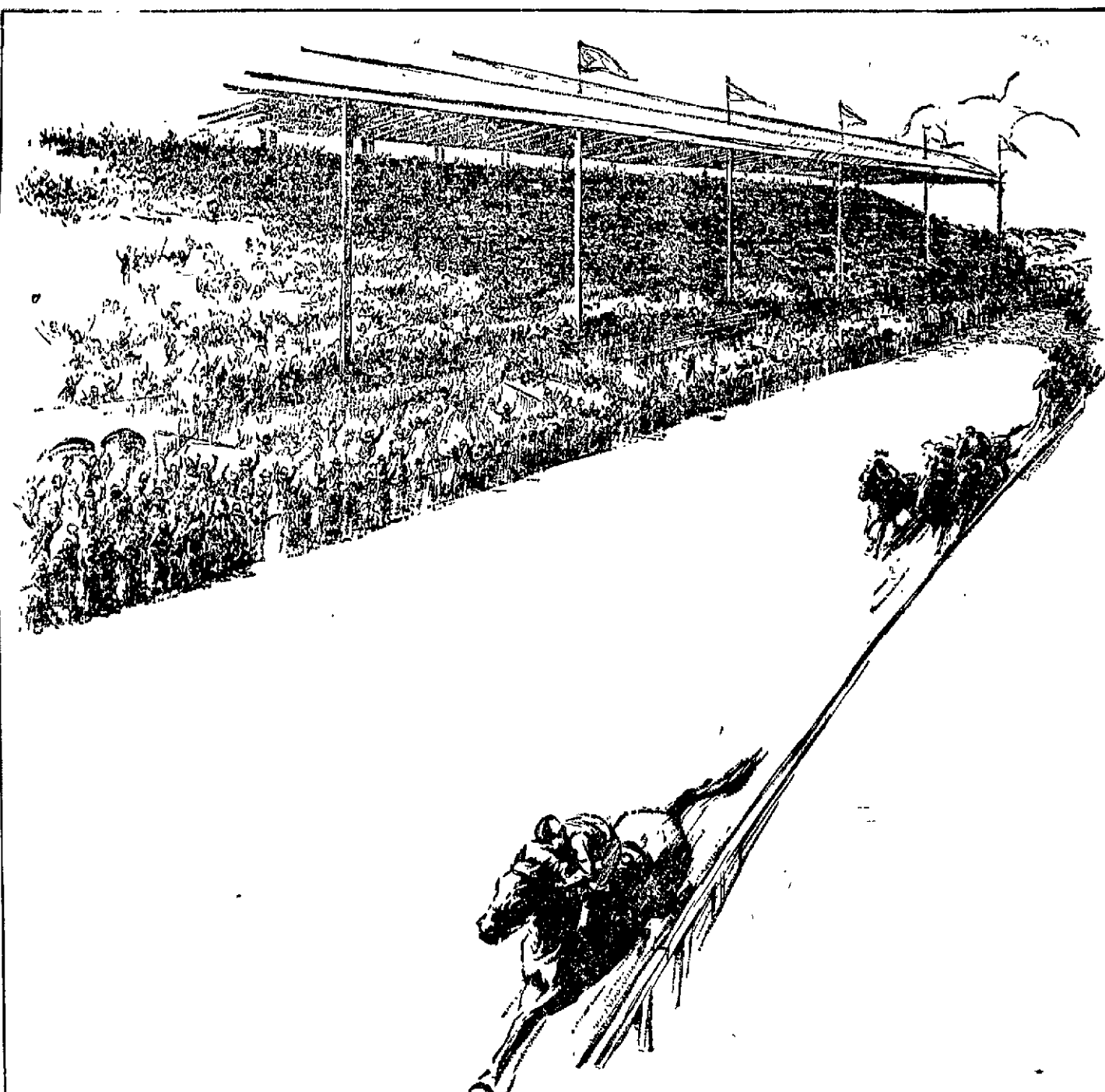
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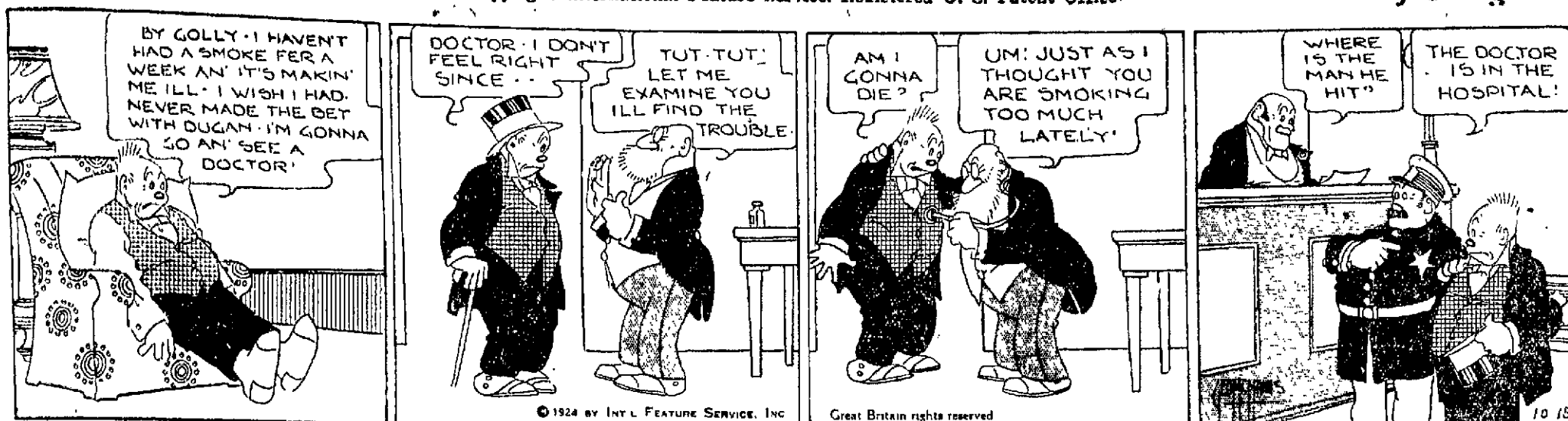


# The Day's Opportunities As Told In The Classified Ads

## BRINGING UP FATHER

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By George McManus



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### Johnson Tells How Washington Acted When Senators Won

Congressman Luther Johnson of Corsicana, representative from this district, who unfortunately (?) was called to the Capitol city during the world's series on national business, wired back to Albert H. Berry a description of scenes in Washington when the Senators won the pennant. The wire says: "Washington happiest city in the world over victory. The streets were lined with people on the night of the triumph, sounded like armistice day. Winning with a crippled team, the victory was marvelous. Harris, Marberry, Johnson and whole team played like demons. Everybody so happy they knew everybody else in Washington. Wish you had been here. All well."

### Called Meeting MASONIC LODGE

There will be a called meeting of Springfield Lodge No. 71, A. F. and A. M., tonight at 7:30 for work in the E. A. degree. Visitors are always welcome.

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LOST—One black pig with tail cut short, if anyone finds it call 461 or write W. J. MILES, Singer Man, 802 E. Millam St.

LOST—Brown Stetson hat on Wortham road Sunday afternoon. Finder please return to News office \$1.00 reward. 14-1

### STATE BOARD OF CONTROL

Austin, October 13, 1924.  
HON. H. F. KIRBY, Judge, and Members of County Commission, Limestone County, Texas, Gentlemen:

By request of your Honorable County Judge, I visited your county seat for the purpose of making an inspection of your courthouse under construction, and I hereby submit a report on the physical condition of same.

The material throughout the structure is of the best of its several kinds; concrete is excellent; brick work splendid; stone work good. I found no material faults anywhere in the structure. I take it for granted that the unfinished parts of the building will be assembled in keeping with that already in place. I consider the design, architecture and workmanship of the first-class and a credit to all the citizens of your county and especially to yourselves.

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## Circus Parade Is Again Eliminated

Owing to the increased size of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus the time-honored parade was abandoned during the season of 1921 and, for the same reason, the street pageant was omitted last season and, again, this year. There seems to be little chance of ever restoring it again as the big show of 1921 is even larger and heavier than those of past seasons.

The doing away with the parade had been under consideration for some time and when, in the winter of 1920-21 the Ringling Brothers added to the bigness of their combined shows by purchasing Europe's foremost wild animal circus, a final decision was reached. The parade was eliminated. The innovation proved a decided benefit to patrons because it permitted the circus men to devote the entire morning to getting "the show on the lot."

As even the layman knows, the circus man's first business is to get the show paraphernalia and vast properties from the railroad yards to the show grounds and then put them and the great tents in place. But, following the combine, there was so much of this work to be done that the parade often started late and frequently had to be called altogether.

Last winter came the opportunity to secure an unusual number of new foreign acts and purchase still another of Europe's biggest trained horse shows. The Ringling Brothers did not hesitate. They immediately decided to "take on" these great, new features, plus two herds of elephants, and make room for them by continuing to eliminate the properties and vehicles required for the street parade and the time taken in giving the parade.

"Our patrons are familiar with the trained animal innovations," said one of the show's agents yesterday, "but I promise you they will be wholly unprepared for the wonderful trained horse show that has now been added. More than 150 educated equines were transported from Europe by special boat last winter, accompanied by the experts who taught them. No such horses were ever before seen in America. The trained wild-animal numbers have been increased by seven new displays introducing as many recently imported groups of polar bears, lions and tigers. There are now five herds of elephants in the arenas and on the stages in place of the customary three groups.

"The added trained animal and horse show is not exhibited as a separate attraction, but is presented on the regular circus program in the main tent. In order that there might be room for the steel arenas, as well as all the rings and stages,



Miss May Wirth, the dainty little "Queen of the Arena" who heads the contingent of 70 riding champions with the great show.

heretofore used in presenting the men and women performers or more docile animals, it became necessary to increase the size of the canvas pavilion. This everywhere added to the weight of the circus equipment until, already unwieldy, it reached such proportions that the doing away with the street parade became an absolute necessity. It is estimated that the circus itself, including its program, is a third bigger than it was when it last visited this locality. Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey will exhibit here Thursday, Oct. 16.

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T. R. Lott of Eastland was a visitor in Mexia Wednesday.

## Mrs. Frank Bolton Entertains Friends Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Frank Bolton entertained a number of friends at her home on South Canton street Tuesday morning, October 14th, at 9:30 o'clock. There were six tables of games, four of which enjoyed bridge while the other two chose to play Auction 42.

After the games, a delicious two course luncheon was served. The colors of the Halloween season were carried out in the flower decorations, the favors and also the prizes. Mrs. W. A. Jackson of Teague made the highest bridge score, receiving the bridge prize; while Mrs. C. D. Davis won the high score prize at the 42 tables.

Those enjoying Mrs. Bolton's hospitality were: Mesdames W. W. Barnett, Wyatt Hayter, L. W. Keys, W. B. Kendrick, Allen Hatch, J. W. Elliott, Rush Allison, J. W. Lan-

## Proud of His Voice And Loves His Work

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 15.—Herman Dresch is known by the housewives of San Antonio as the "singing plasterer."

As he plies his trade he sings in a clear tenor voice. He is proud of his voice and would like to devote all his time toward training his voice as a professional singer. But he can't sacrifice a job paying \$12 a day for an uncertain income on the stage.

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## Sixteen Present At Choral Club Meeting Monday

The Choral Club held its first meeting, Monday evening, Oct. 13 at seven-thirty, since the election of officers, about two weeks ago.

The reason the Choral Club has not met for the past two Monday nights is that Paul B. Harper director of the club, has been visiting his relatives in Mississippi.

The club has not been named yet but Mr. Harper was appointed by the president to select three names and let the club decide on the best one.

There were sixteen present and everyone enjoyed the meeting fine. All boys and girls are invited to attend the club which meets every Monday night at the First Baptist Church.

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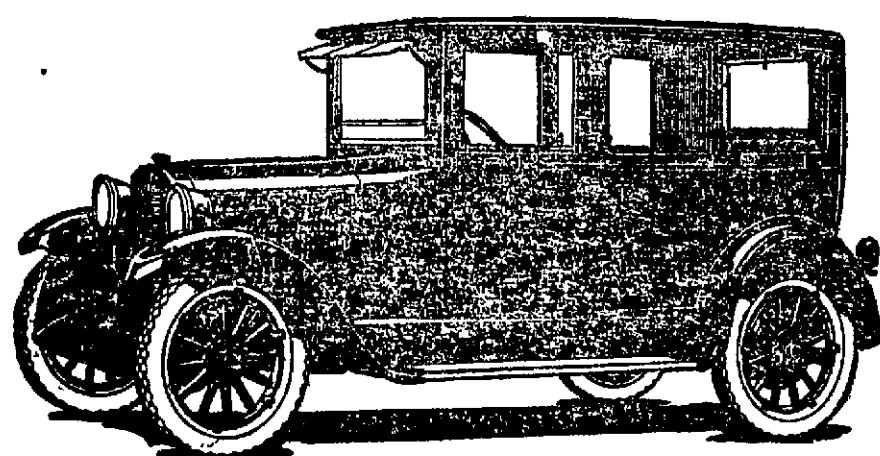
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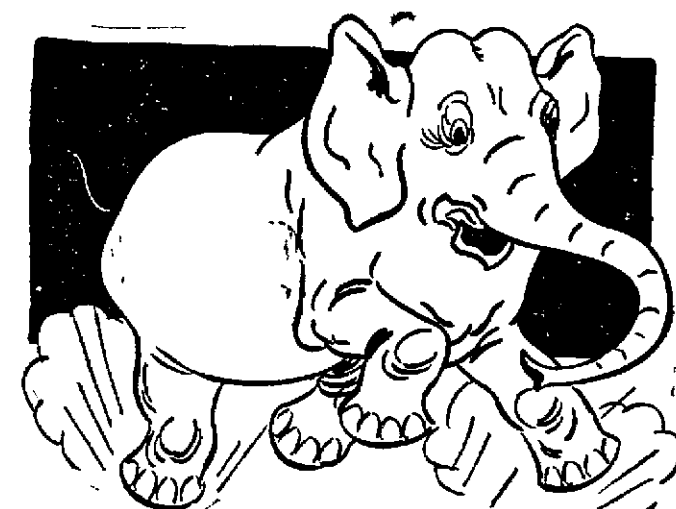
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## CARTER AND LYTLE MANNING TEST BLOWS IN HUGE GASSER LIMESTONE FARMER HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

## ZEPPELIN REACHES U. S. AFTER EPOCHAL ATLANTIC FLIGHT

### MUCH INTEREST AROUSED IN DISCOVERY N. E.

Much excitement was created this morning when the Carter and Lytle test on the Manning farm, six miles Northeast of here and one mile south of Wortham, roared in a gigantic gasser, making at first what oil men and observers declared to be at least 15,000,000 cubic feet.

In a short while after the roar which was heard for miles was known of in Mexia, hundreds from here rushed to the scene and saw the gas rushing up through the derrick, with the occasional gush of mud and water as the hole blew out.

It was stated that the gasser came in unexpectedly. The drillers were coming out of the hole with fourables when the gas blew in, tearing out the North side of the derrick and doing other damage, the pipe falling back in the hole. It is said to have been at a depth of 1661 feet when the gas blew in. One of the drillers who was on the fourable board miraculously escaped injury, getting away just as the upheaval took place.

Passersby noted the fluid going up through the crown block and at first it was reported to be a gusher in Mexia. Trainers coming in on freights over the H. & T. C. near which the test is being made also reported the incident, resulting in the news reaching Mexia shortly after it blew in early this morning.

It is feared that the hole will be lost, however, every effort possible will be made to save it. The rotary will be moved as soon as the hole bridges or as soon as it is safe for workmen to resume operations. A difficult fishing job is ahead, even though the gas emission stops soon. This is Carter and Lytle's third test in the Wortham territory.

Just what the results of the discovery today will be is only a matter of speculation now. Some feel that a pool is certain to be developed there, while others are not so optimistic. However, the general opinion heard frequently expressed soon after the event was that a pool is certain to be located near Mexia, Northeast of town, in a short while.

This location is about a mile North of the Carter and Lytle's second test on the Hackney and is about two miles from the Boyd test on the Boyd lease, Northeast of here four miles.

The Boyd reached gumbo at 2030, which it passed out of at 2050. By noon, it had penetrated to a depth of 2085 and was drilling in hard shale, somewhat sticky and with some boulders. This is said to tally with logs of wells in the producing area at Mexia and is considered encouraging.

Upon being informed of the gasser near Wortham Colonel Humphreys rushed from Dallas to the operation and was on the ground early this afternoon. He says that prospects are very encouraging and he expects to witness a revival of oil boom scenes in Mexia in a short while. He is much interested in the gasser.

### My Daddy Carries Off Purse at Fair

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 15.—My Daddy with C. McCorkle up, carried off the Cotton Stakes purse of \$2,000 and set a new record for the mile at the Stae Fair track here yesterday, running the stretch in 1:48 1-5 seconds.

My Daddy scrambled over the course, ahead of eight other entries winning by a nose over Claymore, favorite of the heat, and two lengths over Decadent Pearl.

A record crowd viewed the races. Attendance at the Fair yesterday was checked as 152,916.

### THE WEATHER.

Texas—Generally fair and unchanged temperature.

### CENTRAL PRESBYTERIANS TO HOLD SERVICE OF PRAISE FOR SUCCESS OF SYNOD AT THE CHURCH TONIGHT

A praise service to God, and expressing gratitude to the people of Mexia, for the success of the Synod is called for tonight at the Central Presbyterian church. All members urged to attend.

The Central Presbyterians feel deeply indebted to the town and to God for the splendid manner in which everybody cooperated in planning and providing for the entertainment of Synod. The Churches, their pastors, organizations and membership all did their part in a wonderful manner. The Chamber of Commerce showed itself very capable in arranging the community features for the Synod. Mr. Jere Cason gave liberally of his time and thought and was largely responsible for the splendid advertising which Mexia received as a city distinguished for its hospitality.

The merchants and business men supported the Synod most liberally in effort and finances. The finance committee announces that the budget as calculated and collected will be sufficient to meet outstanding bills. The Rotary and Lions Clubs did a splendid thing in giving dinners, with the assistance of the women of the Christian and Methodist Churches, to the visitors. The Mexia Daily News rendered valuable assistance with its unusual amount of interesting and accurate publicity. Free copies of each issue were given by

them to the delegates and where they desired free copies were mailed elsewhere for them. The leaders of the Synod stated that they had always had good publicity but never so good as that accorded by the Mexia Daily News. Mr. Adair, who went to considerable trouble to get the news, told the members of Synod in a brief little talk Saturday night that the Mexia Daily News had the largest circulation of any newspaper in the United States for any town of ten thousand people and that he attributed this fact largely to their policy of giving first consideration to all moral and religious enterprises of the town.

The restaurant, hotel, and boarding house people did much for the guests. They were all most cordial and considerate. The homes of the city were most hospitable. The Synod stated that never before had they been given such entertainment.

The pastor, Rev. Aubrey, states that he desired to thank every committee and organization, and individual who helped to make the Synod such a success. He says that he believes it most remarkable to have experienced such perfect cooperation of all the community in accomplishing this task. Such cooperation as this continued for years in the activities of a town most certainly builds a wonderful city.

### CLEMSON CADETS STRIKE WHEN STUDENT IS OUSTED

(By United Press)

ANDERSON, S. C., Oct. 15.—Twelve hundred cadets of Clemson College were on strike today in protest against the suspension of "Dutch" Hollahan, football captain.

The entire student body of the South Carolina Agricultural College walked out, refusing to return until Hollahan is reinstated.

The striking cadets also demand "better feed" in the college dining room.

Hollahan was suspended after he presented the faculty with a petition by members of the Senior class complaining against the food served in the mess hall. The faculty claimed he was intoxicated when he appeared before them with the signatures.

The students charged that the food they received was often " unfit to eat." Tainted "hot dogs" had been fed them, they alleged. They also demanded "mere food."

President Earl ignored the student petition, it was said, and caused the arrest of the football captain for alleged drunkenness. After a meeting the students walked out en masse last night, most of them boarding trains for their homes.

### NO DECISION HANDED DOWN IN DICKSON CASE

(By United Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 15.—No decision was handed down by the State Supreme Court in the Dickson injunction case asking for a restraining of Mrs. Ferguson's name on the November ballot and attacking her eligibility here this morning. A decision may not be handed down until the next regular "opinion day," October 22, it was indicated.

### SHENANDOAH TRIP IS POSTPONED

(By United Press)  
SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 15.—The flight of the Shenandoah to Camp Lewis, Washington, was again postponed because of storms off Vancouver Island. Stormy weather was forecast in the dirigible's path for the next three days.

### MARBERRY HERE FROM GREAT SUCCESS IN BASEBALL

Fred Marberry of the pennant winning Washington Senators pitching staff arrived in Mexia today, after one of the most spectacular and sensational rises to the peak of fame in baseball stardom known to the game. A pitcher with the Gushers, in 1922, he then earned his first salary as a professional baseball player. This year, two years later, he won recognition as one of the great triumvirate of the Washington club which won the world's baseball championship. His name and that of Walter Johnson and Manager Harris have been linked inseparably with the success of the Senators. He will visit his home-folks at Streetman while in Texas.

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### Sea Trip May Revolutionize World Aviation

(By United Press)

LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 15.—"The arrival of the ZR-3 opens a new era in world transportation and may mark the beginning of an economic revolution," Captain Anton Heinen, noted Zeppelin expert told the United Press today.

"Within 20 years aircraft will be used as commonly as automobiles are today."

"The dirigible will prove the strongest impulse the world has known for world-wide brotherhood through improving communications between distant peoples."

Heinen explained the Zeppelin works has proved beyond all doubt the practicability of construction of huge air cruisers for definite purposes such as the present trans-Atlantic flight of the ZR-3.

"We can easily construct much larger air cruisers," the captain said.

"A flight from New York to Peking is entirely practical. A ship of five million cubic feet capacity—twice the size of the ZR-3—would amply suffice for such a voyage."

### AFTER 80 HOURS IN AIR GREAT SHIP NOW IN U. S.

By FRANK GETTY.

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 15.—Out of the early blaze and into the blazing sunshine of a perfect Indian summer morn, the ZR-3 flew over New York harbor today close to the finish of her epoch-making flight from Friedrichshafen.

Greeted by shrieking whistles from harbor craft as it swung over the Statue of Liberty and headed up the Hudson River over New York City, the Giant Zeppelin was a brilliant silver phantom in the cloudless sky, then a reality as she passed overhead above the city throngs who craned their necks and cheered her arrival.

At 8 a. m. just 79 hours and 23 minutes after she rose from her hangar at Friedrichshafen the giant dirigible was cruising over New York, demonstrating that even at the finish of an epoch-making journey, she had plenty of reserve power.

The ZR-3 first crossed over American soil at 4:20 a. m. when her commander, Dr. Eckener, who brought her safely through the winds and perils of the Atlantic, steered the Zeppelin over Boston. This was 75 hours and 4 minutes after her departure.

Bringing her 32 officers and men safely to these shores, the world's largest dirigible scorned to hurry to the waiting hangar where landing crews and United States Navy officials awaited her arrival since dawn.

Germany's pride in her Zeppelins was reflected in Dr. Eckener's maneuvering of this latest and greatest of the Friedrichshafen brood. He sent his craft low above New York's millions to demonstrate her airworthiness.

The city sent up cheers that died on the air long before reaching the speeding airship.

No untoward incident marked the close of the flight. Passing Boston at 4:30 a. m. the Zeppelin came steadily on towards her goal.

Weather conditions were perfect. She was over Providence at 4:50 a. m. At 5 a. m. she flew low over Newport. Fifty minutes later, New London, Conn., reported her silver shape directly overhead.

By 7 a. m. the ZR-3 had reached Mitchell Field, L. I.

Escorting planes flew into the early morning haze to greet and escort the Zeppelin but missed her

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### G. O. P. CAMPAIGN FUND BODY TO MEET SOON CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—The Senate campaign fund investigating committee will go in session in the federal building here tomorrow morning if all members of the committee are here. Senator Borah, chairman, said upon his arrival here from the west. Borah said he was confident a full attendance will be had and there will be no delay in the work.

### LUKE ELECTROCUTED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 15.—William Luke was electrocuted last night when he touched a live wire while standing on a fire escape of his home here.

Luke is believed to have touched the wire when he threw away a cigarette he was smoking.

H. N. Maxham, aged 80, awoke in a Chicago morgue where he was about to be prepared for burial, after a heart attack from which it was thought he had died.

### MARBERRY TURNS TRICK "RELIEFER" SAVES DAY Babe Ruth Pays Tribute to Boman Whose Specialty Is "Finishing" Games



Fred Marberry, former Gusher, Streetman's contribution to the Washington Senators, and Jess McElendon, Mexia's original fan and President of the Mexia Baseball Club, who paid Fred his first baseball money, shaking hands just before Fred went in for the first game at the Polo Grounds.

By BABE RUTH  
The greatest finisher in baseball put the finishing touches on the Giants again this afternoon. Fred Marberry doesn't feel natural and doesn't pitch his best unless he has the feeling out there in the bull pen that the boys are in a real tough spot. Then, when somebody starts to wobble, Fred trots toward the pitcher's box, and so far as he's concerned, your old ball game is just beginning.

Whether it's the seventh, eighth, or ninth inning doesn't matter. He saved Zachary on Saturday and Mogridge at the Polo Grounds. He doesn't get credit for winning either game but you'll have to know him to realize he isn't after credit.

His Club Alone Counts

Marberry is after wins for his ball club, that's all. That's how

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### FIVE INJURED WHEN MENDER HOTEL AT SAN ANTONIO IS DESTROYED BY MORNING FIRE

(By United Press)  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 15.—Three women fainting, five men were injured and 101 guests were removed from the Menger Hotel during a fire on the top floor of the hotel just before midnight last night. All the guests were taken to safety, and except a few slightly hysterical women, one excited man and an injured clerk who fell downstairs while struggling with a male guest, the exodus from the hostelry was orderly.

The five men were injured when a fire steamer collided with a street car while answering the Menger alarm. Two firemen, the conductor and motorman of the street car and one passenger were hurt.

Firemen W. R. Boyd and A. J. Ashback were taken to a hospital unconscious. Ashback is not believed to be seriously injured, but Boyd is thought to be hurt internally.

Damage to the hotel is estimated at \$100,000.

Night Clerk E. A. Billingsley was passed downstairs by a hysterical guest as he aroused the inmates of the hotel. He was bruised but not

seriously injured.

The Menger Hotel is one of the old landmarks of the city.

ENGLISHMEN ANXIOUS  
TO HELP MAKE LOAN

LONDON, Oct. 15.—A long line of men and women were waiting at the doors of the Bank of England for an opportunity to subscribe to the English quota of the \$200,000,000 reconstruction loan to Germany. The lists were oversubscribed and closed at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

PASSING OF FAMILY  
DOCTOR IS PREDICTED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 15.—The passing of the family doctor was predicted last night by Dr. George E. Vincent, president of the Rockefeller Foundation, in a speech before the Conference of the American Child Health Association here.

"The general practitioner faces serious handicaps. He is becoming completely overshadowed by the specialist," Dr. Vincent said.

Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce was unanimously re-elected President of the association.

### ONE KILLED AND ONE INJURED IN SHOOTING AFFRAY

(By United Press)

GROESBECK, Texas, Oct. 15.—Jess Watson, ranch owner, was held in jail here today upon a charge of murder and assault to kill in connection with the fatal shooting of Oliver Maiden, 24, and injury of Nick Maiden, father, at Oletha, near here, late yesterday.

Young Maiden died instantly. The older man will recover. The shooting followed a dispute over rentals upon the Watson farm, according to the county attorney here today. Watson will probably be arraigned here tomorrow, it was stated.

### Edmond Teachers Beat Baylor At The Fair Tuesday

(By United Press)

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 15.—The Edmond, Oklahoma, Teachers, conquerors of Kansas a few days ago, added the football scalp of Baylor university of Waco to their string of season's victories before a State Fair crowd here yesterday 13 to 6.

Two touchdowns, one scored in the first quarter and the other in the closing period, put the game on ice for the rugged Oklahomans. Flashes of brilliant aerial work also helped maintain the teachers lead. Baylor shoved over its only touchdown of the game in the third quarter when Pittman carried the ball over by straight football. Brammer and Kent successfully lugged for the Oklahomans. Williamson place-kicked goal for one point after the second touchdown.

Teachers ..... 13 0 0 7  
Baylor ..... 6 0 0 0

### Gun Battle Fatal To Kansas City Man In Hold Up

(By United Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 15.—One man is dead, three others are wounded, one seriously and two are under arrest as the result of a gun battle which climaxed five daring daylight hold-ups by the same bandit Tuesday.

John B. Stuckey, a taxicab driver was killed by police when the latter overtook Stuckey's car carrying John Ray Smith, the bandit and opened fire. Smith was wounded and surrendered.

Last night bloodhounds picked up a trail at the scene of the robbery by two bandits of a jewelry store yesterday noon in which three men were wounded and followed it to a downtown hotel lobby and to the chair of Russell Judy, 23. Judy was arrested.

Smith, who had a ticket for Chicago in his clothes, admitted his part in the jewelry store hold-up and four others staged yesterday afternoon.

COOLIDGE SENDS  
CONGRATULATIONS  
TO ZR-3 COMMANDER

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—President Coolidge sent Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the ZR-3 a message congratulating him upon the success of his "splendid adventure," which the president envisaged as the "forerunner of other trans-Atlantic flights."

HOUSTON'S YELLOW  
FEVER SCARE OVER

(By United Press)  
HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 15.—The yellow fever menace here is believed to have disappeared. No new outbreak has been reported since the original discovery. Final inspection will be made today and unless there is some indication of the malady among eighty Mexicans held in isolation they will be released.



# BRITISH ARREST SEVEN CHINESE GENERALS IN SHANGHAI

(By United Press)  
SHANGHAI, Oct. 15, 10 p. m.—British military authorities arrested seven Chinese generals, including Little Hsu, Anfu, leader, causing the collapse of the new war which has threatened the city since the defeat of the army of General Hsiang. It was indicated that the British embassy may assume general supervision over the disposition of spoils of the war between the rival leaders.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 16.—Leaderless Chinese soldiers still threatened Shanghai today as rival groups fought for the right to loot the city following defeat of Gen. Lu Yung Hsiang by Gen. Chi Hsih Yuan and his combined Kiangsu-Fukien troops. Chetiang forces were entrenching two miles from the boundaries of the French concession and the foreign settlement at noon.

Fighting between the rival forces was resumed at midnight near Nanzhang and without eight miles of Shanghai.

## Giant Airship Reaches America

and the ZR-3 came on majestically aloft. A United Press reporter flew in one of the planes which came scurrying back to pick up the dirigible and act as an escort of honor during the brief moments while she was passing over the long island drome.

Twenty minutes after seven the ZR-3 was over the outskirts of New York.

There was no work done in office buildings. Stenographers, clerks, office boys and "the boss" hung out of windows for a look at the Zeppelin.

Throngs in the streets stopped on their way to work to gaze upward. Now and then traffic got hopelessly tangled, but nobody cared.

All on board the airship were well, some recovering from slight attacks of "air sickness," similar to sea sickness, sustained when the dirigible ran into "bumpy" weather after leaving the Azores.

At 12:10 a. m. on her report of the day the ZR-3 gave her position as 35 miles southwest of Cape Sable. From then on she progressed swiftly down the Maine coast, but keeping out to sea.

Her commander held her to a speed of 72 miles an hour. To Boston went the honor of being the first American city to greet the Zeppelin, but few persons were stirring in the city's streets during the brief minutes between 4:20 and 4:30 that the dirigible was in sight.

Highland light, off Cape Cod was the first person in sighting the great craft, the lookout there flashing the ZR's appearance at 4:15 a. m.

Vessels tooted and whistled and the early morning sun glistened on the

Statue of Liberty as the dirigible dipped a pennant in salute while passing overhead.

Sea gulls, no more graceful than the silver shape above, emitted raucous cries as they dipped and wheeled and some mounted high to shriek at this strange visitor from the skies.

The dirigible headed straight north, up the Hudson River. It passed over the Woolworth Tower at 8 a. m. and kept on its course.

A few minutes later it was high over the Palisades.

Turning again to the south the ZR-3 came back over the city. As though it were merely on a practice jaunt it swung low over downtown buildings.

At 8:16 its motors roaring in perfect unison, it passed, on even keel, over the United Press offices in the World Building.

It was hard for those watching its deliberate and easy maneuvers to realize that this enormous, slender ship of the skies had just come from Germany, more than three days and three nights on a voyage fraught with peril, second of her kind ever to cross the Atlantic.

The storms of the ocean were passed and the fogs of the banks safely outwitted and Dr. Eckener was seizing the opportunity to make the most of his flight as propaganda for Zeppelins.

His purpose in flying over New York City so low and so long was to demonstrate the future of the dirigible type and possibly persuade the allies and the United States to let him continue building monster lighter than aircraft.

It was hard, too, to realize that this Zeppelin was one of the few things that the United States got out of the World War. When the ZR-3 is passed by our naval experts, she will be accepted as one of the spoils of war and Dr. Eckener and the German crew will go back to Germany on steamships.

## Marberry Turns Trick Says Ruth

by gets hold of one, it's over the post. But three strikes were all Jack could get for his trouble in walking to the plate.

After getting Bentley out of the way Lindstrom gets his third hit of the game and Frisch worked Marberry for a base on balls. Now look what he's got on his hands—Pop Young whom McGraw considers one of his finest players, and George Kelly, the demon slugger of the Giants. Young forced Frisch, but Kelly is up there swinging his war club mean and furious.

Ty Cobb, sitting alongside of me, in the press box, says, "Now, Babe, the big boy will show his stuff." And right after that thousands of people were walking toward the exits as I wrote S. O. after Kelly's name.

He "Stopped" Kelly

To really appreciate what Marberry got away with you've got to realize that in striking out George Kelly he stopped the boy who got three home runs in a single game this Summer. And one of the surest sluggers in the National League.

Of course, it wouldn't be fair to give Marberry all the credit. I don't mean to do anything like that. I want to tell something about McGraw and Manager Harris. They not only crossed McGraw and the baseball public, but they put one over on two of their best reuters—Ty Cobb and myself.

Ty figured McGraw wouldn't be able to pitch a single game. And George told me himself, in the dug-out Monday, that his arm was sore and he didn't feel good enough to work a single inning. That of course, turned out to be the old college football propaganda.

Well, as the Giants found out, his arm was just about as crippled as a football team that goes out and beats its rival by a dozen touchdowns. Outside of young Lindstrom the Giants got three hits. You've got to give credit to Harris the way he has handled his pitchers. Two left-handers have stopped the Giants in their tracks, the series is two-all, and Walter Johnson, king of them all, is rested and ready to start the fifth game.

And you've got to give Harris credit for more than that. He got away with some fielding at second base yesterday that must even make Frankie Frisch do some thinking. He doesn't thrill the crowd with any circus sliding like Frisch, but in the long run, that's a dangerous way of playing second base.

When Frisch made a wonderful, but unnecessary slide after Goslin's sent to centre field, it reminded me of the time Babe Odling cracked his shoulder blade by the same kind of work.

The series has got to go six games now, and if Walter Johnson wins on Wednesday, I've got a feeling Washington might win the series and make me look awful bad as a dopster.

# MEN AND WOMEN PROMINENT IN NEWS



Mrs. Mabel Gilman Corey, divorced wife of the American ex-estel magnate, was at one time reported engaged in Paris to Prince Luis Ferdinand of Spain, who has been deported from France and whose honors have been taken from him by the King of Spain, whose cousin he is, because of his indiscretions. M. Stadin, Soviet Minister of Nationalists, has been stabbed in the shoulder in Moscow by a Georgian named Haischwill, who then killed himself. J. Havelock Wilson, president of the International Seafarers' Federation, with a membership of 2,000,000 sailors, has arrived in New York to discuss the rights of seamen with the immigration authorities of the United States. Vicente Ibanez, author of the "Four Horsemen," "Blood and Sand" and other famous novels, has bitterly attacked King Alfonso of Spain, declaring the "degenerate Alfonso," and not the military dictatorship, is to blame for Spanish catastrophes in the Moroccan war.

# MEN AND WOMEN IN THE NEWS SPOTLIGHT.



Below: MRS. ASA G. CHANDLER & BETTY BROWN  
Below: LEOPOLD GODOWSKY & CHARLIE WAX

Mrs. Asa G. Chandler, Sr., estranged young wife of Atlanta, Ga., "Coca Cola King," suffered a nervous breakdown as the result of an automobile accident in which her car struck and probably fatally injured a five-year-old girl. Betty Brown, recently a Broadway dancing darling, kept her marriage to New York City to wealthy George Ellis Widener, manufacturer, a secret for a year and eight months. When she revealed it, she said she would not trade her happy married life for all the stage fame in the world. Leopold Godowsky, noted pianist, returning to New York from European tour, declared jazz was a revelation in rhythm and was of the right sort. He will incorporate jazz music in his programmes. With fawn colored spats and the latest clothing ever, Charlie Wax, of many aliases, was picked up by New York City police, with \$15,000 in loose change in his clothes and \$8,000 worth of diamonds on his fingers.

as a result does not apply itself.

Furthermore, if the underdog team gains an advantage, particularly soon after the game is started, the possibility of it spilling the dope and winning is increased. The players put forth even greater effort. Their opponents, none-plussed lose teamwork and morale.

At Fort Worth the under dog team scored a touch-down early in the first quarter on flukes. In each instance an attempt at punting failed in the favorite team's territory, scores and an unexpected lead by the Frogs resulting.

Dope and psychology frequently work strange things.

Unable to stop a prairie fire, near New Orleans, employees of the Atlas Powder Company saved a big magazine by hastily digging a wide ditch around it and flooding it with water.

# TRADES DAY IS DECIDED ON BY MEXIA

The Mexia Retail Merchants Association held its second monthly banquet at the Topic Cafe Tuesday night, at which time a large number of the members was present.

The most important result of the gathering was a decision reached to make November 8th, a Trades Day in Mexia. John McElroy, President and Secretary T. B. Haines, are very much gratified at the decision. The week before the event, a trades excursion and good will tour will be held, in which all of the business interests of Mexia are invited to join and at which time the Mexia trade territory will be thoroughly covered.

## WALLACE OPERATED ON SUCCESSFULLY TODAY

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace underwent a successful operation at the Naval hospital here for the removal of his appendix and gall bladder. Mr. Wallace had been in ill health for some time.

After listening to a neighbor lady practicing the piano for eight months, Herr Unwerth of Berlin took a shot at her with a revolver, but missed. He was placed under a peace bond.

# 1500 Hear Klan Speaker Tuesday Night at Buffalo

BUFFALO, Leon County, October 15.—This town was filled last night with about 1500 people who gathered to witness a Klan parade, to hear State Chaplain Lloyd P. Bloodworth of the organization deliver a public address on the tenets of the Ku Klux Klan, and to participate in a barbecue by Klansmen and their families. About 100 Klansmen from various points in this section participated in the parade. The scene was viewed quietly. Little applause greeted the spectacle which was unusual in this section, but before Rev. Bloodworth had completed his address, the body seemed to be as one almost in sympathy with the order. He spoke on the four foundation stones on which America is built, the home, the open Bible, the Public School and Constitutional government, including the Constitution and all its amendments.

## HEAVY FIGHTING IN STREETS OF CANTON

(By United Press)  
HONG KONG, Oct. 15.—Heavy fighting broke out in the streets of Canton this morning between troops of Sun Yat Sen, South China dictator and the holders of the Merchant Volunteer corps.

Tullie Handlon of Indianapolis, was killed by a silver of glass from his automobile windshield, broken by a tomato thrown by an unknown person. The glass pierced an artery in Handlon's throat and he bled to death in fifteen minutes.

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THE GOVERNORS RACE  
PRO AND ANTI

A "Butte for Governor" club has been organized in Franklin. Mrs. Ferguson will probably have the hardest fight ever experienced by a Democratic nominee for State office in Texas, and while we can hardly conceive of the idea of Texas electing a Republican governor, you cannot always sometimes tell what granddaddies will do. — Franklin Texan.

The gubernatorial contest in Texas is attracting attention not alone in the United States but across the seas as well. From Budapest, across the seas, comes a message, to Mrs. Franz Kohfeldt Sr. from her sister, expressing the hope that "Ma" will win.—Denison Herald.

In the midst of the world series, the Chinese war and the Ferguson campaign for governor permit us to call your attention to the fact that it is just eighty days until Christmas.—Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

Only old bachelors and a few married men believe that Pa will boss Ma after she becomes governor. All of the women and most of the married men know better.—Kosse Cyclone.

"The most versatile man of our day," says the Dallas Journal, "is the Texan who insists that he can vote for a republican and be a democrat." Examples: Mrs. Ferguson, Jim Ferguson and Barry Miller. A newspaper example: The Dallas Morning News, that supported William McKinley in 1896.—Geo. Bailey in Houston Post-Dispatch.

Geo. C. Butte, the republican candidate for governor, is making an intensive campaign and is gaining many votes. Several prominent democrats here, who have never before scratched the democratic ticket, have told us that they would vote for Butte at the November election. They place the welfare of the State above the party collar.—Riesel Rustler.

And when we consult our pastor as to how we should vote it chills us to be told we should ignore our pledge.—Snap Shots.

The thought of being ex-communicated by the Democratic party for bolting a bolter will strike terror to many hearts.—nit.—Bonham Favorite.

At a recent meeting of the State Democratic Executive Committee it was decided to make a thorough canvass of the state in the interest of all the democratic nominees. These Butte Democrats (?) will be looked after, never fear.—Thornton Hustler.

The supreme issue always is honest and efficient government, not the personal ambition of a citizen or the tenure of a party. That is why Mr. Davis should be elected president. It is also why Jim Ferguson should not be permitted to get his clutches on the State of Texas again.—Geo. Bailey in Houston Post-Dispatch.

Regardless of whether the next governor of Texas is Ma Ferguson or George Butte, Grayson county will stand in need of a system of good roads. Why not talk about a campaign to that end instead of restricting our enthusiasm along strictly political lines?—Denison Herald.

Three thousand people are reported to have heard Dr. Butte's opening address in Sherman, most of whom were Democrats, we judge, since we don't believe that many Republicans could be scared up in this section. The distinguished citizen who introduced him, Dr. Clyde, says he has always been a Democrat, is yet a Democrat, and that he is going to cast a Democratic vote for Dr. Butte for the sake of Texas. The day was when we looked upon the man who bolted the Democratic ticket and supported the opposing candidate as outside the party, but by the action of the Democratic party in the late primary we are led to believe that our view of party loyalty is out of date. The Democratic party has given its endorsement to the bolters, and it cannot complain if its members follow its endorsement and bolt. We shall not do so, but those who pursue a different course from ours can point to the action of the party as an endorsement of their course.—Bonham Favorite.

WHY WORRY?  
Why worry? The most of us will work for a living without regard to who is elected governor in the November election.—Bryan Eagle.  
Indeed, why should we worry over the political outlook? Rather let us look forward to doing better work under the next governor regardless of whether he or she wins in the coming contest. We who sit on the side lines and comment on the outcome, should leave the worrying to that large contingent of old timers who will deluge the next governor with applications for position at the

TOMORROW WILL BE BIG  
CIRCUS DAY IN MEXIA



Its wonders crammed and jammed on a hundred gayly painted cars, the Greatest Show on Earth is coming to town tomorrow and boys and girls of all ages, size and conditions are getting ready to greet the marvels it is sure to bring.  
Which is one way of saying that the ever-welcoming Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined Shows will begin to arrive about dawn in the yards of the H. & T. C. and the year's most wonderful

HOW'S BUSINESS?

"It would be a little difficult to compare our business with this time last year for the reason that we have moved into larger quarters, more prominently located, and have added new lines to our stock," said Irvin Nedler, of the Boston Store, when asked the question.  
"Our volume of sales is naturally much larger," he said. "We are pleased with the patronage the public has given us ever since we opened our little store on Sherman Street. Our business is gathering momentum and growing in volume until we have begun to believe that Mexia is about the best town in Texas."  
"Our 1924 business is very satisfactory. Our fall business is good, and we expect to reap a full harvest before the holidays."

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Board of Education has employed Mrs. E. M. Strange to direct a High School Glee Club, to be composed of both boys and girls. Much enthusiasm has been manifested toward this organization, and a successful club is expected.

The Mexia Rotary Club held their weekly luncheon in the High School cafeteria last Thursday. Songs were sung by the students who ate during the sixth period. Our principal, Mr. Andrews, was admitted to membership in the organization at this meeting.

The Senior Class of Mexia High

School met in business session Tuesday, October 7, 1924 for the purpose of selecting the class rings, invitations, and cards. All the business houses in Mexia dealing in these goods had been asked to submit samples and prices before that date. Some had requested further time but the class by unanimous vote decided to select at once. After carefully examining the samples submitted, the rings were ordered from Wesson Jewelry Company; invitations from R. A. Wagner; and cards from Anderson and Horn Drug Company.

A vote of thanks was then rendered the Sophomore class for its cooperation and assistance in the recent football sponsor contest. With

no further business the meeting adjourned.

The first class sponsor that taught high school had so many fishes she didn't know what to do. So she took them on a weiner roast and to us the biggest thing was that the Seniors arrived and began to boast. What a sad climax they'd bring but the fish class sponsor, with a howl of glee, gave each a hot dog and a roll and a glass and a punch. And marched them across the bridge, for the Seniors to do the spanking and she sent them to bed.

The Freshmen enjoyed one of the first social events of the season, when 75 of them gathered at the

Baptist church and hiked to Wright's tank. Upon arriving there, the guests lined up for hot dogs, rolls and a glass of punch, completing the meal with a marshmallow roast. The rest of the evening was spent in games and stunts until the Seniors came out to fish. They entertained us most royally. All departed with a good spirit, waiting for our next evening together. Mr. and Mrs. John McElroy were guests during the last part of the evening. Miss Eva Scheel, sponsored the class, assisted by Miss Wells.

Edwin Denby, former secretary of the navy, has been made a 33rd degree Mason in recognition of distinguished services to the order.

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Dress Flannel

Yard \$1

—One special lot of dress flannel in all colors; regularly selling for \$1.50 per yard; tomorrow very special at the yard \$1

Boys' Night Shirts

Each \$1

—Boy's outing flannel night shirts; assorted in size, good quality, our regular \$1.50 grade, tomorrow special at each \$1

Silk Pongee

Yard \$1

—This is a very beautiful lot of pongee; very suitable for making waists and blouses for children. This is our regular \$1.25 value; specially priced Dollar Day, yard \$1

Imported Gingham

2 1/2 Yds. \$1

—One lot of imported 32-inch dress gingham; 65c values; special for Dollar Day at 2 1/2 yards \$1

Men's Summer Unions

2 for \$3.00

—One big lot of men's extra good summer union suits; regularly selling for \$2.50 each; for this one day only at 2 for \$3

Kimona Outings

4 Yards \$1

—One lot of 36 inch Kimona outings, 35c value; very specially priced Dollar Day at 4 yards for \$1

EXTRA SPECIAL

500 yards of Silk; values up to \$2.50 per yard; Dollar Day, per yard \$1

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100 Ladies Hats; values \$7.50; Dollar Day, each \$3.95

Men's Night Shirts

Each \$1

—One lot of men's outing flannel night shirts; good standard quality; while they last at each \$1

Hope Domestic

7 Yards \$1

—We are going to sell this good domestic at the special price of 7 yards for \$1

Bath Towels

5 For \$1

—One big lot of 20x40 bath towels; 65c values, very special for Thursday at 5 for \$1

Ladies Silk Hose

—One big lot of ladies silk hose; all the wanted fall colors; special tomorrow at 2 pair for \$1

Dress Gingham

8 Yards \$1

—A large table of 17 1/2c dress gingham in wanted patterns; special Thursday at 8 yards \$1

36-Inch Madras

3 Yards \$1

—One big lot of 36 inch madras for men's and boy's shirts; a regular 50c material; special for Dollar Day, 3 yards for \$1

Ladies Silk Hose

—Offering this special lot of hosiery in good standard quality; an excellent value at each pair \$1

Dress Gingham

5 Yards \$1

—About two dozen pieces of pretty gingham in checks, and stripes; very specially priced for Dollar Day at 5 yards for \$1

Cheviots

5 Yards \$1

—One lot of cheviots for shirts; worth 25c; special for Dollar Day at 5 yards for \$1

36-In. Brown Domestic

—A good 15c quality, 36-inches wide; special for Dollar Day at 10 yards for \$1

Imperial Chambrey

3 Yards \$1

—One lot of Imperial Chambrey; 40c grade, pretty patterns, specially priced 3 yards for \$1

Outing Flannel

5 Yards \$1

—36-inches wide; light and dark colors; 25c grade; special at 5 yards for \$1

Men's Unions

Each \$1

—Men's long sleeve ankle length union suits, good quality; for this day's sale, each \$1

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**FARM BOOKKEEPING**

No modern business man would think of conducting a store or factory year after year without keeping records to show whether he is making or losing money. Yet many farmers try to get along with no records at all, or keep records so incomplete and haphazard as to be of little value.

Many progressive farmers do keep books in a practical way and these are usually the ones who make a success of farming. They realize that they are business men, engaged in the greatest business in the world, and they adopt business methods accordingly.

Not only should farmers' books show the total amount of his receipts and expenditures, but should show a separate account for each crop and for each other activity, such as livestock, poultry, fruits, vegetables, and so on.

Bookkeeping on the farm will not turn losses into profits, but it will serve to point out the mistakes of a given year and be a great help in avoiding them in future years. No farm should be conducted without a complete and accurate system of bookkeeping.

Many farmers in this section keep a set of books equal to any business man, according to income tax auditors who assist in making out returns. In such an instance, they find income tax reporting easy, and those who keep a record of poultry proceeds know that poultry pays and pays well.

Press dispatches indicate that we'll pay more this year for the Thanksgiving Turkey than we have in years. It's too bad we haven't more of them to offer to the market in this section. If we had of raised more turkeys, we'd have more cotton for they would have helped destroy the grasshoppers that were so bad.

Men are more convincing liars than women, declares a Danish professor, who attributes this to the fact that men have had more practice.

A Georgia court has decided that being legally hanged does not invalidate a man's insurance. Policy-holders are thus relieved of one source of worry.

Item from a Texas newspaper: "Charley White, formerly a good citizen of this place, but now a traveling salesman, was in town Monday."

An easier word to take the place of "chauffeur" is being sought, but none of the names ordinarily used by pedestrians would do in polite society.

The bravest editor has been found. He declares his paper "does not print potterty of any kind at any time."

Scandal-mongers have no union rules and never object to working overtime.

Mount Shasta's glacier had been throwing mud lately, probably taking its cue from the politicians.

Northern bathing beauties must now put on some clothes and retire from the news pictures.

The annual crop of stories about squirrels gathering golf balls is now due.

**THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY**

**DEMOCRATS ARE NOT MANACLED.**

(Houston Post-Dispatch)

Four years ago, when Jim Ferguson considered the democratic party as inimical to his personal interests, he said, "To hell with the democratic party," and organized a party for the purpose of overthrowing it.

Two years ago, Jim Ferguson became a candidate in the democratic primaries for United States senator in a large field of candidates. In July, he ran second in the number of votes polled, and was a candidate in the August primary, in which he was defeated by a decisive majority.

Did the Ferguson accept the result?

They not only did not remain away from the polls, but became active supporters of the republican nominee for senator, and Jim Ferguson received compensation for his newspaper's services in behalf of the republican nominee.

What became of the primary pledges which were printed on the tickets the Ferguson voted in 1922?

What became of the primary

pledges some 60,000 democrats voted in the July and August primaries—those 60,000 who in November voted for the republican nominee for senator?

Why was it that the Ferguson could not be held to their primary pledges, and yet now contend that patriotic men and women, who shudder at the thought of Jim Ferguson's getting his clutches on the State government by proxy, may not follow their consciences and vote to save the honor of the State of Texas?

Every intelligent Texan knows that Mrs. Ferguson is merely a technical party nominee, and not actually the choice of the democrats of this State for governor.

The outrageous primary election lottery in July in which she received 20 per cent of the vote cast revealed the number of democrats who wanted her to be the nominal, and her impeached husband the actual, governor of Texas.

In the August primary, the people, forced to a "Hobson's choice," gave her the preference over the klan, but they then had no opportunity to pass judgment upon Fergusonism without accepting the klan,

which was offensive to them.

To say that hundreds of thousands of men and women, to whom Fergusonism is but slightly less offensive than the klan, must smother their consciences and vote Jim Ferguson back into power, without accountability, in spite of the constitutional barrier with which the public authority is protected, when they are convinced that such a course would be disastrous to the State, is merely the kind of bunk that machine politicians invoke to affect their own unworthy ends.

Duty to the State is the supreme duty of the citizen, and if the condoning of Jim Ferguson's offenses, for which he was impeached and removed from office, does not impress them in the light of duty, they have their remedy at the ballot box. A free, conscientious vote is the citizen's highest obligation.

And the question that confronts them is whether Jim Ferguson shall again be entrusted with the powers of the State government, from the exercise of which the high court of impeachment, provided by the constitution, has barred him.

The honor and integrity of the democratic party, and the welfare of the State, is in no sense bound up in the proxy candidacy of Jim Ferguson for governor of Texas. The present predicament is not one created by the people, but by the politicians operating through a political lottery in which the people's unfettered choice was stifled.

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**RESOURCES**

1. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank.....\$375,627.38  
2. Overdrafts; unsecured.....8,437.73  
4. U. S. Government securities owned:  
All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any).....4,000.00  
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.....164,286.25  
6. Banking house \$53,800; Furniture and Fixtures \$15,644.95.....69,444.95  
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....86,817.53  
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....819,231.68  
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8 and 10).....11,935.35  
12. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....6,707.68  
Total of Items 10, 11 and 13.....\$837,874.71  
14. Miscellaneous cash items.....1,857.06  
16. Other assets, if any.....3,809.24

Total.....\$1,552,254.85

**LIABILITIES**

17. Capital stock paid in.....\$100,000.00  
18. Surplus fund.....12,000.00  
19. Undivided profits.....\$27,828.27  
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 10,075.94.....17,752.33  
22. Amount due to national banks.....191,031.07  
23. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies and foreign countries (other than included in Item 22).....21,358.04  
25. Cashier's checks outstanding.....13,787.57  
Total of Items 22, 23, and 25.....\$226,176.68  
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):  
26. Individual deposits subject to check.....1,181,325.84  
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Item 26.....\$1,181,325.84  
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):  
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....15,000.00  
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Item 32.....\$15,000.00

Total.....\$1,552,254.85

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Limestone, ss:  
I, N. Hollingsworth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
N. HOLLINGSWORTH, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
J. Sandford Smith me this 13th day of October, 1924.  
Walter Womack David Murphy,  
B. S. Smith, Directors. (Seal) Notary Public

No. 998.

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FARMERS STATE BANK, AT MEXIA, STATE OF TEXAS, at the close of business on the 10th day of October, 1924, published in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper printed and published at Mexia, State of Texas, on the 13th day of October, 1924.**

**RESOURCES**

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....\$344,438.29  
Loans, real estate.....NONE  
Overdrafts.....5,387.08  
Bonds and Stocks.....71,126.88  
Real Estate (banking house).....38,303.50  
Other Real Estate.....45,595.69  
Furniture and Fixtures.....21,469.23  
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand.....187,283.03  
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....13,337.26  
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....23,325.12  
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange.....193,631.19  
Other Resources.....580.41

Total.....\$1,155,078.87

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock paid in.....\$100,000.00  
Surplus Fund.....15,000.00  
Undivided Profits, net.....10,268.97  
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net.....48,694.16  
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....958,716.22  
Savings Deposits, (Postal).....219.71  
Certified Checks.....144.22  
Cashier's Checks.....20,899.91  
Other Liabilities.....1,737.28

Total.....\$1,155,078.87

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Limestone.  
We, Jno. H. Sweatt, as president, and J. L. Hearn, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
JNO. H. SWEATT, President,  
J. L. HEARN, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
A. H. Kubanks me this 14th day of October, A. D.  
Roy B. Bass 1924. C. G. White,  
W. D. Freeman, Directors. Notary Public, Limestone Co., Texas.

Charter No. 11964 Reserve District No. 11

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK, AT MEXIA IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 10, 1924.**

**RESOURCES**

1. Loans and discounts.....\$343,989.68  
2. Overdrafts.....NONE  
4. U. S. Government securities owned:  
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value).....\$100,000.00  
b All other United States Government securities (including premium, if any).....38,243.32  
Total.....138,243.32  
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.....83,063.71  
6. Banking house, \$40,000; furniture and fixtures \$14,095.45.....54,095.45  
7. Real estate owned other than banking house.....2,186.87  
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....62,964.94  
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....633,735.28  
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States.....823.72  
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....2,717.37  
Total of Items 10, 11, and 13.....\$637,276.47  
14. Miscellaneous cash items.....281.22  
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer.....5,000.00

Total.....\$1,333,101.65

**LIABILITIES**

17. Capital stock paid in.....\$100,000.00  
18. Surplus fund.....13,000.00  
19. Undivided profits.....\$32,529.22  
Reserved for depreciation.....1,000.00 \$33,529.22  
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 10,371.10.....23,158.12  
20. Circulating notes outstanding.....98,300.00  
21. Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits).....3,390.65  
22. Amount due to national banks.....4,890.84  
25. Cashier's checks outstanding.....9,719.07  
Total of Items 21, 22 and 25.....\$18,027.58  
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):  
26. Individual deposits subject to check.....606,587.09  
28. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond.....72,147.23  
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26 and 28.....\$678,734.32  
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):  
33. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond.....101,876.25  
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve Item 33.....\$101,876.25  
44. Liabilities other than those above stated.....5.39

Total.....\$1,333,101.65

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Limestone, ss:  
I, David Murphy, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
DAVID MURPHY, V-President and Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
J. Desenberg Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1924.  
Blake Smith Sophia E. Travis,  
Emile Nussbaum Notary Public.  
E. L. Smith, Directors.

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## Black Cats Putting On Final Touches for Clash With Marlin

The Mexia High Black Cats are putting on the final touches for their clash with the Marlin High Bulldogs. A large number of football followers of this city will accompany the Cats on their invasion of the Falls county "burg," on Friday of this week.

The Bulldogs are in the race for district honors and are going to offer strong opposition to all district contenders. Marlin has quite a number of their old stars from last year's eleven back in uniform. Their mainstays are Bartlett, Russell, Lenoir and Pyland. Coach Mayhew has practically the same system as last year and the Cats are prepared for him.

The Cats may be minus the services of Wayne Lucas, star left tackle, who injured his shoulder in workout Tuesday afternoon. His shoulder may be in condition to play in part of the game however. The Cat lineup will probably be Hoezel and Aulds, ends, Thompson and Murphy at tackles, McKenzie and Corley at guards with Bennett at pivot. Clover will start at quarter; Karner and Perkinson at halves and Buford at fullback.

### NOTICE.

I, George Harris, have bought the SQUARE DEAL DRUG STORE, 111 West Commerce St., Mexia, Texas, and from this date I alone buy all supplies and incur all debts for said drug store.

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## IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Days Backache Often Means You Have Not Been Drinking Enough Water.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it may mean you have been eating foods which create acids, says a well-known authority. An excess of such acids overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and laggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get clogged, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the system, so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

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## RADIO PROGRAMS

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June In Time—Central Standard Time (See Station Calls Above)

### Central Standard Time.

By DAISY MAYES.  
6:00 to 7:00 p. m.  
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.  
WFI, 6:00 Sunny Jim, the kiddies' pal.  
WIP, 6:00 Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.  
WWJ, 6:00 Detroit News orchestra; Wendall Hall.  
KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Concert orchestra.  
WDAR, 6:30 Dream Daddy's bedtime stories.  
WCAE, 6:30 Sunshine Girl.  
WOO, 6:30 Concert ensemble.  
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Seiger's orchestra.  
KSD, 6:45 Abergh's concert ensemble.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

KYW, 6:00 to 7:30 Dinner concert.  
WHB, 7:00 to 8:00 Talk; music.  
WDAR, 7:00 Conversation Corner.  
WOC, 7:00 Sandman's visit.  
WDAR, 7:15 Green Mills Farm dance orchestra.  
WOO, 7:15 Band.  
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30 Musicales.  
KYW, 7:30 to 8:00 Music Publishing Company.  
WHAS, 7:30 to 9:00 Kentucky Ramblers.  
WCAE, 7:30 Nevin trio.  
WCX, 7:30 Old time songs.  
8:00 to 9:00 p. m.  
KHJ, 8:00 to 9:30 Hickman's orchestra.  
WOO, 8:00 WOO orchestra.  
WLW, 8:00 Virginia entertainers.  
KYW, 8:00 to 8:30 Musicales.

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WDAF, 8:00 to 9:15 Monthly program, Missouri Federated Music Federated Music clubs.  
WOC, 8:00 Organ recital.  
KYW, 8:30 to 9:45 Around the town with KYW.  
WMC, 8:30 Concert orchestra.  
KYW, 8:45 to 9:05 Musical program.  
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30 Detective stories; concert.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

KPO, 9:00 to 9:30 Seiger's orchestra.  
WDAR, 9:00 orchestra.  
KYW, 9:15 Talk.  
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45 Popular dance music.  
WOO, 9:03 Organ recital.  
KYW, 9:45 to 12:30 Midnight revue.  
WOO, 9:30 Orchestra.  
KFI, 9:30 to 10:00 One act play.  
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.  
KGO, 10:00 Program.  
KHJ, 10:00 to 12:00 Lecture.  
KPO, 10:00 to 1:00 a. m. Versatile band.  
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald Concert.  
WSB, 10:45 Radiowl entertainment.  
11:00 p. m. to 12:00.  
KFI, 11:00 to 12:00 Examiner concert.  
WDAF, 11:45 Nighthawk frolic.

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## Enlistments For Navy Resumed

(By United Press)

DALLAS, Oct. 15.—Recruiting was resumed in the navy Saturday after a lapse of between five and six months. The navy has accepted no enlistments during that time because of pending action on the armament agreement.

The enlisted personnel of the navy is now below normal and enlistments will be received in limited numbers.

The Dallas district, which includes Sherman, Denison, Houston, Amarillo, Fort Worth, and San Antonio will be limited to twenty-two new men a week.

Standard Oil Company wants Germany to pay \$10,000,000 for damage done to its Roumanian oil properties during the world war.

## TWO IN THIS FAMILY TESTED OUT TANLAC

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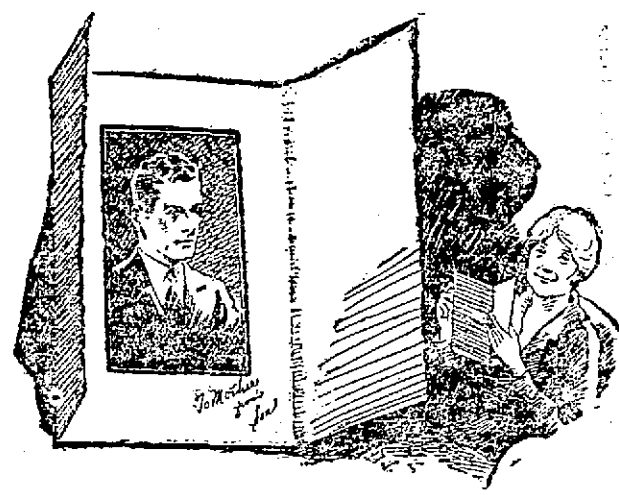
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## Bootleggers Asked For Help On Road And Got Pinched

(By United Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 14.—Governor Pat Neff knows now how the state ranger force operates to uphold the prohibition laws.

While the governor and Ranger Sergeant M. N. Koonsman were driving in an automobile between Brady and Brownwood, four motorists, whose machine had broken down, appealed for help.

Koonsman alighted to give help when he sniffed liquor. Investigating, he found three half gallon fruit jars of white lightning in the car. Complaints will be filed against the quartet, officers said.

During the incident, governor Pat looked on without revealing his identity to the prisoners.

## Sent Her Home To Finish Dressing

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Oct. 15.—Dressed in all the splendor of Parisian fashion's latest dictates, she strolled down one of Dallas' main streets one morning recently.

The skirt was short—of course—and likewise in accordance with gay Paris' design, was split and overlapped—but not enough, apparently, for as she walked the garment opened and displayed—

Anyway, the silk hose was rolled and there were other dainty frills of more intillate nature, all of which had attracted a considerable gathering and decoyed many male glances from near and far.

Appeared a cruel policeman on the scene.

"Young lady," quoth he, "you'll have to go home and put on more clothes or tell the judge why not."

She went—the crowd dispersed.

John Hale of Temple was here for a little while Wednesday.

H. J. Sneed was here from Waco Wednesday.

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## How They Will Receive ZR-3

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A simple receipt will be handed Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the R-3 by Admiral Archibald Sales, Commander of the Fourth Naval District when the giant dirigible arrives at Lakehurst Wednesday.

No other ceremony will mark the transfer of the airship from German to American hands, naval officers said.

The receipt given Eckener will be a "custody receipt." A final receipt will not be given until the ship has been put through a severe trial including speed, endurance and lifting tests.

## LOS ANGELES WILL HAVE MANY 1925 CONVENTIONS

(By International News Service.)  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 15.—That Los Angeles is one of the leading convention cities of America is evidenced by gatherings already slated here for 1925.

Among the important national associations to meet here next year are:

Delta Eligma Fraternity in June.  
National Life Stock Exchange in June.

International New Thought Alliance in July.

Western Music Trades Association in July.

American Chemical Society in July.

American Philatelic Society in August.

Controllers' Congress in March.

American Radio and Electric Exposition in January.

National Association of Dyers and Cleaners in January.

National Association of Builders' Exchanges in February.

National Safety Council in April.

National Air Brake Association in May.

International Kindergarten Union in July.

Shriners in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison returned Tuesday from a few days visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. MacKenzie spent the day here Wednesday from Corsicana.

## PRINCESS MARY'S SECOND SON.



ULICK DAVID LASCELLES

This is the first exclusive picture of Ulick David Lascelles, second son of Princess Mary, only daughter of the British rulers, who was christened a few days ago at Goldsbrough (England) Church. The naming of the child is said to have caused a breach with her royal parents, who were not present at the christening.

## COLLEGES WILL REVEAL ATTITUDE TOWARD K. K. K.

(By International News Service.)  
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 14.—The attitude of 24 leading American colleges, for both men and women, will be revealed at an inter-collegiate conference called for October 18 under the auspices of the Political Association of Vassar College. Each of the colleges invited to the conference has been asked to send three delegates, representing

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## Dirigible Will Not Be Practical For Mail Service

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A hard headed, practical organization like the postal service that makes its money in pennies has no immediate use for luxuries like the Shenandoah and ZR-3, according to Postmaster General New.

New looks at the dirigible problem like a business man—from the dollars and cents points of view.

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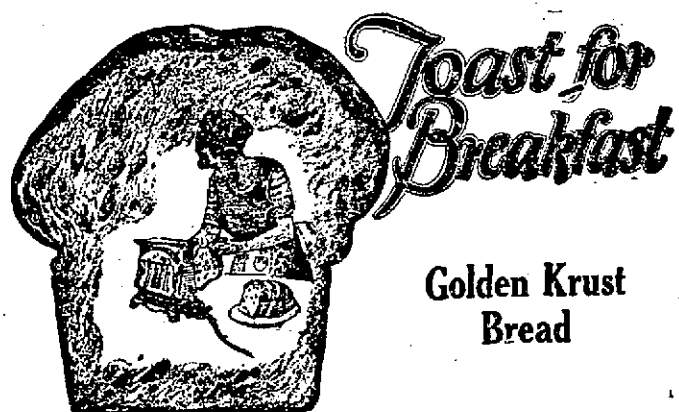
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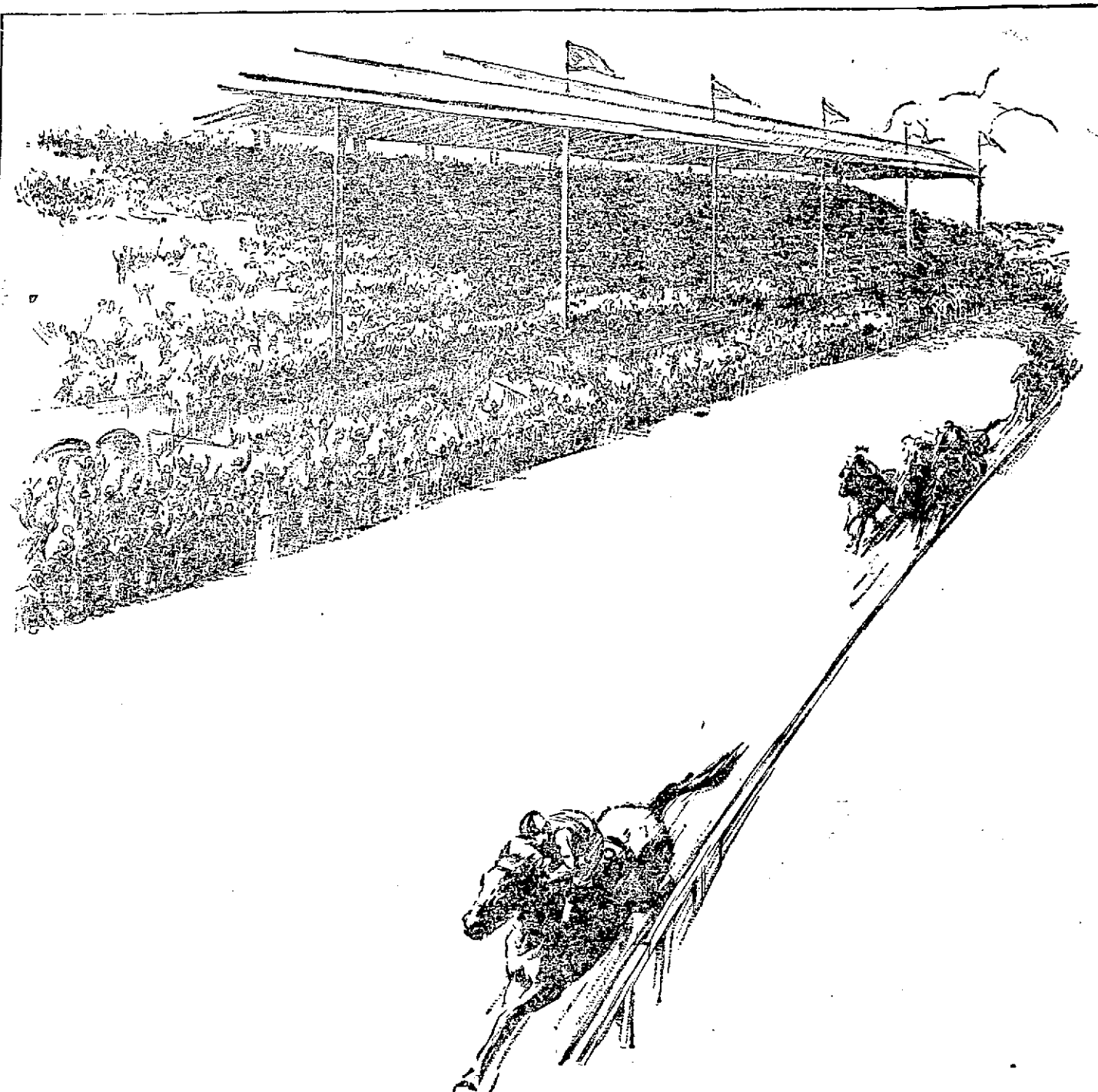
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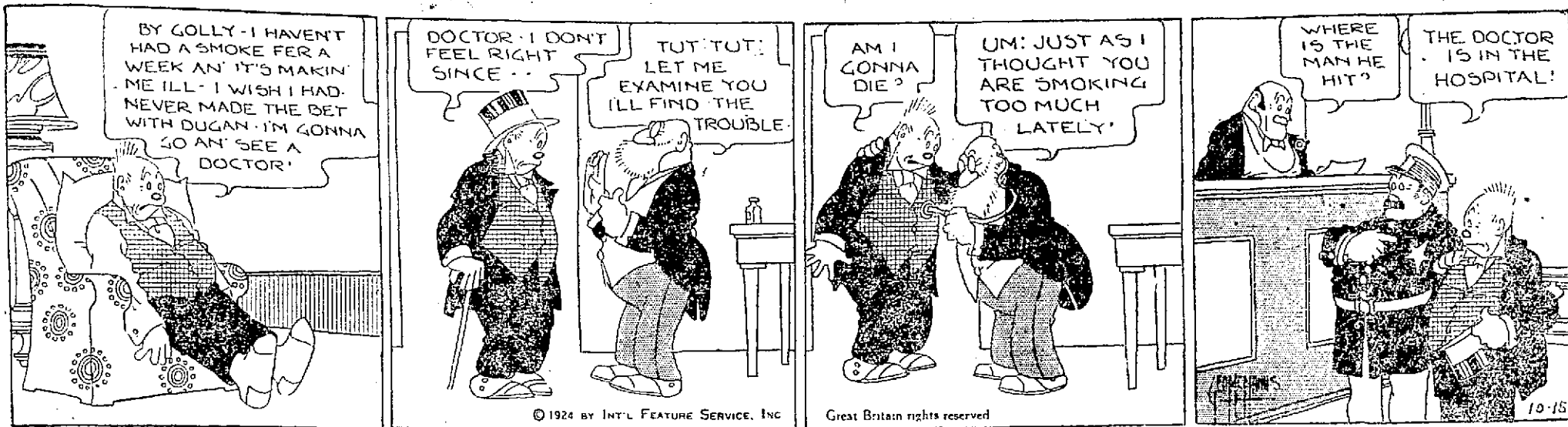


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By George McManus



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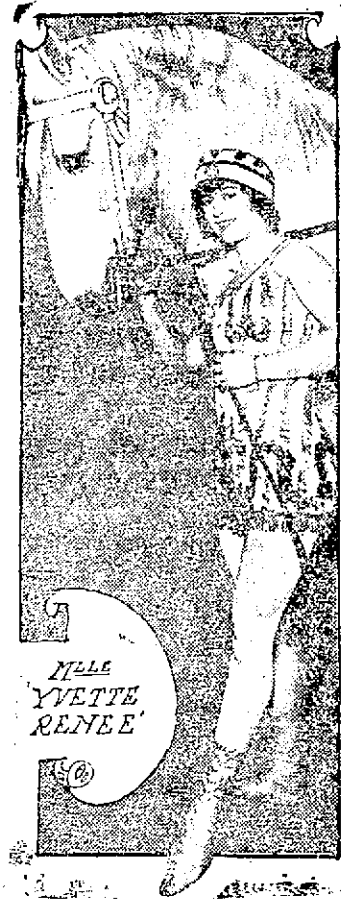
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### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment in 2-story garage. All modern conveniences. TOM F. NOLAN, 820 E. Palestine St. Phones 378 or 226V. L-10-7

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms in brick building, two blocks of depot, reasonable rate, phone 652. L-13-7

FURNISHED APARTMENTS — 2-rooms \$5.00 weekly, 3-rooms \$7.00 weekly, clean, quiet, respectable, nicely located young rooms. 207 S. Red River St., near Main 5 blocks E. of City Hall. Phone 667-W. L-10-5 30

NOTICE—All accounts due Split Nickel Grocery, are payable only to W. R. STOREY, Trustee. R-12-7

### TRADES—C

WE TRADE new Furniture and Stoves for old ones. Langston Furniture, 312 Commerce St.

TRADE IN your old Gas Heaters and Gas Cook Stoves for new ones. Langston Furniture, 312 East Commerce St.

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Use Blue Star Remedy for eczema, itch, tetter, or cracked hands, ring worms, chapped face, poison oak, sun burns, old sores or sores on children. It relieves all forms of sore feet. For sale by Mexia Drug Co.—(Adv.)

**666**

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### FOR SALE—J

FARMS FOR SALE  
50 acres at New Hope, fair improvements, price \$60 per acre.  
150 acres at New Hope, fair improvements, price \$50 per acre.  
106 acres at Point Enterprise, fair improvements. Price \$50 per acre.  
145 acres, 1 1/2 miles north of Simsboro. Cheap at \$30 per acre.  
See F. R. KLOTZ (owner) for terms and condition and full particulars of sale of above land.

FOR SALE—Old newspapers for wrapping purposes. 1 1/2 cents per lb. News Publishing Co. 29J30

FOR SALE—First class job printing, all kinds of Commercial Printing. No job too big—none too small. Let us figure with you. News Publishing Co. 29J30

LOTS FOR SALE ON ROSS—Two lots for sale on North Ross. See F. R. Klotz (owner) for price and particulars. 30J7

GOOD AS NEW 15 KVA Generator. Cost \$900, will sell for \$350. Call at News Publishing Co. Phone 146. 30J15

WILL SELL Lot in Sunshine Addition, just East of Ross. \$100. \$100 cash down, balance terms to suit. See W. K. Boyd. 30J10

ENGRAVING—All kinds of cards, business cards, visiting cards. See our samples. Phone 146. News Publishing Co. 29J30

GET YOUR BLANKETS, Comforts, and Rugs at Langston's Furniture 312 East Commerce St.

FOR SALE—7-room house and furnishings. 2 lots, 1 block from Browns Hospital. Price \$2,250. J. W. McCRAE, Franklin, Tex.

### WANTED.

WANTED—Second hand iron beds and springs. Dressers, chairs and tables. Any quantity. Either for cash or trade on other furniture. J. I. RIDDLE & CO. E-9-21-1f

WANTED—Good second hand eight piece dining room suit. Any finish, either for cash or trade on other furniture. J. I. RIDDLE & CO. E-9-21-1f

WANTED—Ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once. "FASHION EMBROIDERERS" 994, Lima, Ohio.

### LOST AND FOUND—D

LOST—Bill fold containing an annual pass on Southern Pacific trains and between \$12 and \$16 in money. Finder return to owner, R. P. AYBRY, Richland, Texas.

LOST—One black pig with tail cut short, if anyone finds it call 461 or write W. J. MILES, Singer Man, 802 E. Main St.

LOST—Brown Stetson hat on Wortham road Sunday afternoon. Finder please return to News office \$1.00 reward. 1-1-1

### STATE BOARD OF CONTROL

Austin, October 13, 1924.  
HON. H. P. KIRBY, Judge, and Members of County Commission. Limestone County, Texas.

Gentlemen:  
By request of your Honorable County Judge, I visited your county seat for the purpose of making an inspection of your courthouse under construction, and I hereby submit a report on the physical condition of same.

The material throughout the structure is of the best of its several kinds; concrete is excellent; brick work splendid; stone work good. I found no material faults anywhere in the structure. I take it for granted that the unfinished parts of the building will be assembled in keeping with that already in place. I consider the design, architecture and workmanship of the first-class and a credit to all the citizens of your county and especially to yourselves.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. R. HENDRICKSON,  
State Building Inspector.

C. W. Whisler was here from Waco Wednesday on business.

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MUST HAVE SOME MONEY.  
NICE, Oct. 11.—It is reported that

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10 miles southeast of Mexia and 2 miles east of Fallon. 75 acres in cultivation, black land, and worth \$150 per acre. Dwelling, barns, plenty of running water and well. 250 acres fenced with net wire and 150 acres fenced for cow pasture. Not leased for oil or gas. Will sell the 526 acres including farm implements and teams for \$20 per acre. Sec—

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FIGURE THE COST ON THE FOLLOWING:

Soap	_____	\$
Starch	_____	\$
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Bluing	_____	\$
Electricity	_____	\$
Charge for Washing	_____	\$
Wash Woman's Dinner	_____	\$
Charge for Ironing	_____	\$
TOTAL	_____	\$

20 Pounds Rough Dry.....\$1.60

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## FIVE ROOM HOUSE FOR SALE

Nice five-room house on corner lot on South McKinney Street. Lot 125x115 feet. Garage and servants house.

Will sell for part cash and balance on easy terms.

This house is a bargain. See me at once.

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## SPIKES LUMBER CO.

Whether you have decided to build a new home, to remodel your present home—

build a fence, or to put up a shelf in your house, we know that we can supply you with lumber and building material that will meet with your approval in both quality and price.

We will appreciate a chance to figure on your next bill.

Spikes Lumber Co.

819 E. Palestine St. Telephone 693

**We Trade**  
**New Furniture**  
**for your old**

**John R. Corley**  
**Company**  
PHONE 9

Circus Parade Is Again Eliminated

Owing to the increased size of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus the time-honored parade was abandoned during the season of 1921 and, for the same reason, the street pageant was omitted last season and, again, this year. There seems to be little chance of ever restoring it again as the big show of 1924 is even larger and heavier than those of past seasons.

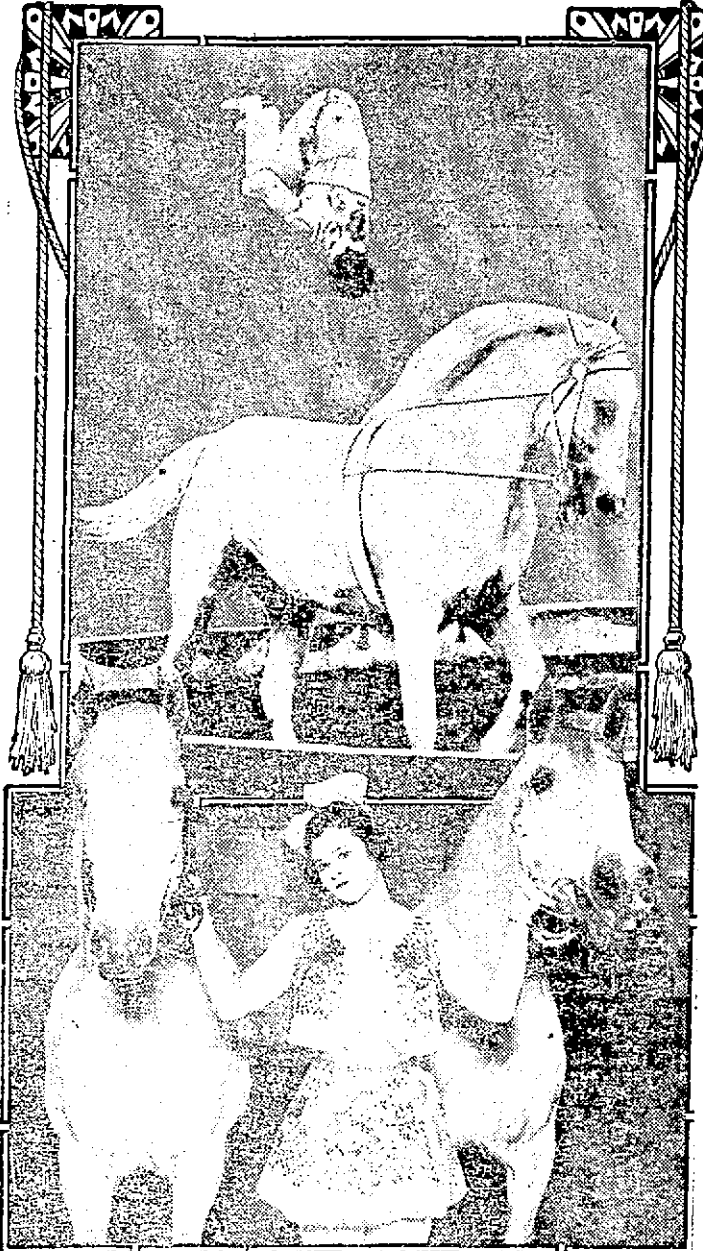
The doing away with the parade had been under consideration for some time and when, in the winter of 1920-21 the Ringling Brothers added to the bigness of their combined shows by purchasing Europe's foremost wild animal circus, a final decision was reached. The parade was eliminated. The innovation proved a decided benefit to patrons because it permitted the circus men to devote the entire morning to getting "the show on the lot."

As even the layman knows, the circus man's first business is to get the show paraphernalia and vast properties from the railroad yards to the show grounds and then put them and the great tents in place. But, following the combine, there was so much of this work to be done that the parade often started late and frequently had to be cancelled altogether.

Last winter came the opportunity to secure an unusual number of new foreign acts and purchase still another of Europe's biggest trained horse shows. The Ringling Brothers did not hesitate. They immediately decided to "take on" these great, new features, plus two herds of elephants, and make room for them by continuing to eliminate the properties and vehicles required for the street parade and the time taken in giving the parade.

"Our patrons are familiar with the trained animal innovations," said one of the show's agents yesterday, "but I promise you they will be wholly unprepared for the wonderful trained horse show that has now been added. More than 150 educated equines were transported from Europe by special boat last winter, accompanied by the experts who taught them. No such horses were ever before seen in America. The trained wild-animal numbers have been increased by seven new displays introducing as many recently imported groups of polar bears, lions and tigers. There are now five herds of elephants in the arenas and on the stages in place of the customary three groups.

"The added trained animal and horse show is not exhibited as a separate attraction, but is presented on the regular circus program in the main tent. In order that there might be room for the steel arenas, as well as all the rings and stages



Miss May Wirth, the dainty little "Queen of the Arena" who heads the contingent of 70 riding champions with the great show.

heretofore used in presenting the men and women performers or more docile animals, it became necessary to increase the size of the canvas pavilion. This everywhere added to the weight of the circus equipment until, already unwieldy, it reached such proportions that the doing away with the street parade became an absolute necessity. It is estimated that the circus itself, including its program, is a third bigger than it was when it last visited this locality. Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey will exhibit here Thursday, Oct. 16.

AT ONCE, ladies to travel, demonstrate, and sell dealers for well known toilet goods manufacturer. \$25 to \$50 per week. Railroad fare paid. Can also use two local sales representatives. Experience unnecessary. GOODRICH DRUG CO., Omaha, Neb.

T. R. Lott of Eastland was a visitor in Mexia Wednesday.

Sixteen Present At Choral Club Meeting Monday

The Choral Club held its first meeting, Monday evening, Oct. 13 at seven-thirty, since the election of officers, about two weeks ago.

The reason the Choral Club has not met for the past two Monday nights is that Paul B. Harper director of the club, has been visiting his relatives in Mississippi.

The club has not been named yet but Mr. Harper was appointed by the president to select three names and let the club decide on the best one.

There were sixteen present and everyone enjoyed the meeting fine. All boys and girls are invited to attend the club which meets every Monday night at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Frank Bolton Entertains Friends Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Frank Bolton entertained a number of friends at her home on South Canton street Tuesday morning, October 14th, at 9:30 o'clock. There were six tables of games, four of which enjoyed bridge while the other two chose to play Auction 42.

After the games, a delicious two course luncheon was served. The colors of the Halloween season were carried out in the flower decorations, the favors and also the prizes. Mrs. W. A. Jackson of Teague made the highest bridge score, receiving the bridge prize; while Mrs. C. D. Davis won the high score prize at the 42 tables.

Those enjoying Mrs. Bolton's hospitality were: Mesdames W. W. Barnett, Wyatt Hayter, I. W. Keys, W. B. Kendrick, Allen Hatch, J. W. Elliott, Rush Allison, J. W. Lan-

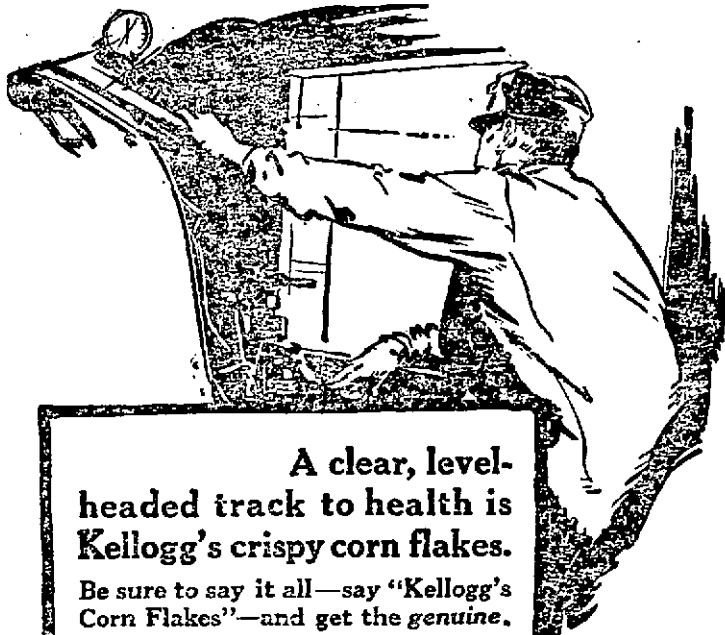
ning, Roscoe Cook, Jackie Cook, Fort Smith, Julius Nussbaum, Val Horn, W. A. Jackson of Teague, W. M. White, John Sweatt, Nelson Forrest, Ben Smith, Jim Prickett, Sanford Smith, C. D. Davis, C. O. Denning and Miss Catharine McGrail.

Proud of His Voice And Loves His Work

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 15.—Herman Dresch is known by the housewives of San Antonio as the "singing plasterer."

As he plies his trade he sings in a clear tenor voice. He is proud of his voice and would like to devote all his time toward training his voice as a professional singer. But he can't sacrifice a job paying \$12 a day for an uncertain income on the stage.

Besides, Herman loves his plastering job and that's why he sings as he wields his hawk and trowel. He says he has not lost a day's work in five years.



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Thurs. Oct. 16

In addition to our regular BUY-IT-IN-OCTOBER Specials we quote you some other Bargains for CIRCUS DAY.

Surely you will be here. Of course the old folks don't care anything about it but they have to come and bring the kids. The children have seen the circus, and they are all somewhat alike, but Dad and Mother are coming so they must come along, too. So you see, you'll all be here.

HIDGON-McELROY COMPANY will help you enjoy the day more by saving you enough on your purchases to pay for the expense of the day.

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MEN'S SUITS, priced as low as \$15. OVERCOATS, priced \$20 and up. BOYS' SUITS, with 2 pants for \$8.45 and up. HATS. One lot priced \$1. One lot \$2.00 and Stetsons \$5 and up. UNDERWEAR. Men's ribbed 2-piece underwear, shirts and drawers, 75c grade for 59c. WORK CLOTHES. Khaki pants, Overalls, Mole Skin Pants, Corduroy Suits and Pants, Over Shirts and anything else for men.

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Good yard wide Bleached Domestic, 10 yards for.....\$1.00  
Good Outing, light and dark patterns.....15c yd.  
Women's Winter Weight Underwear.....50c garment  
Children's Good School Hose, 50c grade 3 pair.....\$1.00  
Boys' Coat Style Sweaters, priced, each.....\$1.65  
Men's Dress Shirts, collar attached.....98c each

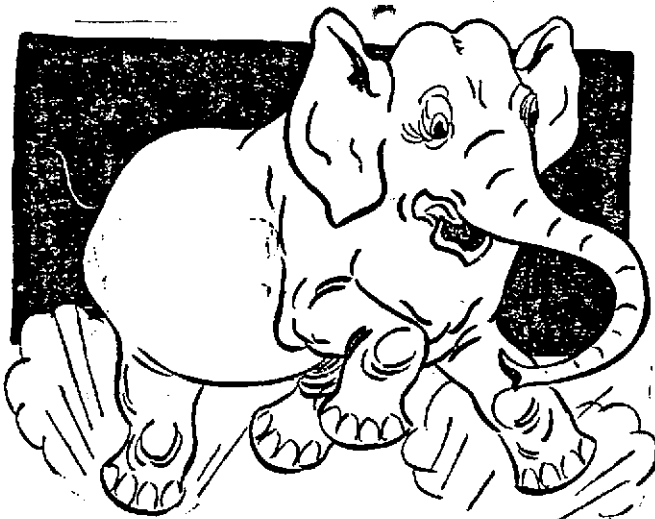
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